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Democrats Attempt To Silence Lawson Charges of Leak

Sharp Fight Raised On Floor of House When Resolution for a Probe is Reported On Favorably

REP. WOOD MAKES HARSH CHARGES

Washington, Jan. 3—(By United Press)—A sharp fight over the Thomas W. Lawson leak charges was raised on the house floor today when Representative Wood of Indiana declared that a resolution for an investigating committee was reported favorable. Debate on the question was begun immediately. Republicans support Wood and Democrats support Chairman Henry of the house rules committee in opposing the resolution. The action of Chairman Henry of the house rules committee in refusing to give an open hearing of the charges of Lawson in which he declares that $60,000,000 was cleaned up in Wall street in "an indefensible attempt to conceal those in government circles from responsibility" Wood declared today. "Chairman Henry in protecting those higher up is charged with trying to stifle the matter, and hush it up," Wood further declared.

The fight in the house on the proposed congressional investigation of the leaks to Wall street developed its most sensational turn this afternoon when Representative Bennett of New York named Bernard Baruch, as one of those who gave Wall Street its advance tip. Bennett declared "that Bernard Barush, who is a member of the national defense committee, 30 minutes before the note was made public bought 15,000 shares in the rising market." That congress will investigate the Lawson leak charges seemed more certain following Bennett's declaration. Speaker Clarke in a verbal battle declared the ruling for a resolution by Representative Wood demanding an investigation is most important at this time.

SPOTS OF THINGS ARE DISCUSSED BY GERARD

Her Long Conference With the German Chancellor Report Is Forwarded to Wilson

ALLIES REPLY WAS ONE TOPIC

By Carl W. Ackerman

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Berlin Jan. 3.—A lengthy report was forwarded to President Wilson today by American Ambassador Gerard following a conference which he held with the Imperial Chancellor von Bethman-Hollweg. When Gerard was asked what the chancellor had said he relied "lots of interesting things." It was authoritatively understood that the American diplomat and the German chancellor among other things talked about the allies' unfavorable reply to the German peace proffer.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Catherine Powell take this means of returning their heartfelt thanks to their many kind friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and death of their late beloved mother. These kind ministrations were much appreciated and will ever be remembered.

SOUTH AMERICAN EXHIBIT

The Sportsman's Supply company, successors to Harder's and Hubler's sporting goods store have quite a curiosity on display in their show window on Third street. It is a specimen of the armadillo, or South American ant eater, sent to J. Willard Chase, one of the members of the firm by Hon. Ben F. Chase, American consul at San Jose, Costa Rica, especially for display purpose. The animal is not a very handsome looking bird but is quite a curiosity in these parts and looks as though it just walked right out of the old Mitchell geography, where we first met one of the species, in the early days of the Leonard Graded school building.

NEW YORK FRUIT GROWERS

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 3.—One of the largest and finest displays of garden and orchard products ever seen in this state is a prominent feature of the sixteenth annual convention of the New York State Fruit Growers' association, which met at Exposition park today for a three-day session. Fruit specialists from half a dozen states and from Canada are in attendance and an unusual degree of interest is manifested in the convention.

ILLINOIS LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

Springfield, Ill, Jan. 3.—The fiftieth general assembly of Illinois met and organized today, with the Republicans in control of both houses. Important legislation contemplated by the party leaders includes the proposed constitutional convention, budget system, elimination of useless bureaus and sinecures, private bank regulation, revenue reforms, and home rule for Chicago in the matter of public utilities.

Biddy's Cold Feet The Cause Of Late Evening Fire Alarm

Kind Hearted Poultry Fancier Has Decided That Modern Heated Pens Are Dangerous

A tender hearted Fourth ward resident decided the weather last night was entirely too cold for his chickens and attempted to supply a little artificial heat by the coal lamp route. The chickens appreciated the humane effort and crowded around the heat to warm their toes, one big footed old biddy with especially cold pedal extremities crowded up too close to the generator of comfort and away went the lamp. The oil ran out and ignited and in a moment those poor chickens had heat to burn and were burning it too.

The fire was located at Seventh and Bigler avenue and the alarm was sent in from Box 41. The firemen were soon enroute to the scene but when it was learned that the trouble was among the "chickens" in the Fourth Ward orders were issued to let Foreman "Forey" Barton of Elk Hose take care of things and he being the most noted "chicken expert" in the department soon had the trouble under control.

The tender hearted poultry keeper don't have near so many chickens to keep warm now.

Question Raised

Berlin, Jan. 3.—The question of whether the United States intends to remain neutral or whether President Wilson is playing for the psychological moment to enter the war is raised by the Cologne Gazette.

RAISING MONEY FOR PURCHASE OF ISLANDS

Lansing and Stone Discuss Method of Raising Price for Danish Islands

DID NOT DISCUSS PEACE MOVE

By Robert J. Bender

Washington, Jan. 3.—(By United Press)—Secretary Lansing went to the capitol today and held a half hour's conference with Senator Stone, chairman foreign relations committee. The Secretary refused to discuss the conference except to say he talked over with Stone the question of raising $25,000,000 for the purchase of the Danish West Indies. Senator Stone voluntarily offered the information that peace was not discussed. Stone and Lansing refused to listen to other questions.

"DRY" CAMPAIGN IN CALIFORNIA

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 3.—Following a meeting of prohibition and temperance leaders from all parts of the state, a campaign to swing California into the "dry" column next year has been formally launched. A committee has been appointed to carry on the preliminary work until a state-wide convention is held in the Spring, when the plan of campaign will be mapped out in detail. The plans already decided upon call for the raising of a $100,000 fund to be expended in the election of prohibitionists to the legislature. A substantial beginning has already been made in the raising of this fund.

MAINE MAY STRENGTHEN "DRY" LAWS

Augusta, Me, Jan. 3.— The Maine legislature, which convened today for its biennial session, will have two important matterse as relates to the enforcement of the prohibition liquor law to deal with. The first is a measure providing for a constitutional amendment to give the governor the power to remove sheriffs who fail to enforce the law, and the other is a bill which would compel judges to give straight jail sentences in liquor cases.

MINNESOTA STOCK BREEDERS

Minneapolis, Minn., aJn. 3.—Minnesota breeders of live stock rounded up in force at the state university farm today for the annual meetings of their several state associations. Among the bodies that will hold their sessions during the remainder of the week are the Minnesota Sheep Breeders' association, Minnesota Swine Breeders' association, Minnesota Hereford Breeders, Minnesota Ayrshire Breeders, Minnesota Red Polled Breeders, and the State Guernsey Breeders.

STARS AND STRIPES FLEW WHEN HIS SHIP WENT DOWN

CAPT. JOHN L. DUFFY

Captain John L. Duffy, commander of the American ship Chemung, which an Austrian submarine sank off the coast of Spain, has just come back to the United States. When the submarine commander told him to haul down the American flag before the vessel was to be sunk Captain Duffy refused. He was taken to the submarine, and he saw the Austrian sink the ship with her flag still on. He was later landed in Spain, from which he made his way to the United States.

LATE TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Amendment Asked

Washington, Jan. 3.—Judge W. L. Chambers, United States commissioner of the board of mediation and conciliation was today requested to add an amendment to the recent railroad bill giving the courts the right to interpret and enforce the award of the board of mediation and conciliation. The request was made by members of the Newlands railroad committee which has charge of the President's railroad program at its hearing today.

Exonerates Lansing

Washington, Jan. 3.—Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee speaking from the senate floor today exonerated Secretary Lansing "from any blame" for leaks in the state department which Stone had declared yesterday as resulting from the present system of civil service. Stone declared he did not know of any leaks since Mr. Lansing took charge of that department of the government.

Arrest Mexican Consul

New York, aJn. 3.—Charged with conspiracy and violation of American laws to circumvent shipment of arms and ammunition into Mexico Juan T. Burns, Mexican consul here today was arrested and held under $10,000 bail. Lewis Gotting and two other employes of an export company who shipped arms and other ammunition into Mexico as hardware are also held.

Sword Only Answer

Berlin, Jan. 3.—Editorial comment and opinion of the general public today are inclined emphatically to the belief that Germany can only answer with the sword to the rejection of the peace proposal by the entente in their reply as outlined by the United Press. One of the leading newspapers called it "an insult and the sword can be the only answer."

Military vs. Civilian

London, Jan. 3—Demands for withdrawal of the British expeditionary forces out of Salonika were voiced in an editorial in Lord Northcliffe's "Daily Mail" today. The editorial stated that the expedition was not planned by military but by civilian officers and furthermore were too weak to assist the Roumanian forces.

Stock Tips

New York, Jan. 3.—(By United Press)—Gains of 1 to 3 points were made by market leaders at the opening of the stock market today. The Westinghouse, Studebaker, Lackawanna Central and Kennett did not respond to general activities. United States steel was up 5-8 and 7-8 to 110 1-2 on sale of 10 shares.

Mex. Com. Reports

Washington, Jan. 3.—The American members of the joint Mexican peace commission today presented to President Wilson their recommendations for closing the sessions. Before going to see President Wilson the Commissioners drafted an answer to General Carranza's rejecting of the withdrawal protocol.

Midvale Dividend

New York, Jan 3.—The Midvale Steel company this afternoon declared an individual quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent.

ALLIES CAPTURED THOUSANDS OF PRISONERS

During Last Twelve Months the Drain On Teuton Forces is Larger Than Expected

582,222 TAKEN IN ONE YEAR

By Henry Wood

With the French Army, Jan 3 During 1916 the allies have captured 582,722 Teuton prisoners. According to figures made public Russian forces have captured 400,000 Austro-German prisoners with the twelve months ending December. French forces have taken 78,500 Germans including 20,000 taken at the Verdun fighting. British forces have taken 46,800 Germans and the Italian forces 52,250 Austrians. Forces under General Sarrail in Macedonia have taken 11,173 Bulgarian, Turkish and German prisoners.

SIXTY CAR LOADS AWAIT ORDER TO ENTRAIN

16th Penna. Infantry All Packed and Ready to Join Loved Ones After Long Vigil

GLAD TO RETURN FROM TEXAS

El Paso, Jan. 3—(By United Press)—Huddled in little groups for the most part 1100 members of the 16th Pennsylvania infantry stood around early today awaiting the order to entrain for home. Sixty coaches and 6 engines were on the camp siding awaiting the word to speed up. General Albert J. Logan and headquarters' staff of the second brigade will return with Col. George Rickards of the 16th and his staff in the first division of section three. The supply company and companies S. and D. will also travel with that section. Companies L. C. E. and H. with machine gun companies and sanitary company will travel in the second section. The third section will comprise companies A. B. K. L. and M.

San Antonia, Jan 3.—The 16th Pennsylvania infantry and second brigade headquarters left ElPaso this afternoon for Pittsburgh.

NORTH CAROLINA SOLONS CONVENE

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 33.— Members of the new North Carolina legislature convened today and organized for the regular biennial session of sixty days. So far there are few new measures of importance under discussion, but the lawmakers are confronted by a mass of routine business that is calculated to keep them busy for the next two months.

WILSON—DURST

On Wednesday evening, January 1, 1917, at half past six, at the parsonage of the Trinity Methodist church, Fred J. Wilson, of Akron, Ohio, and Miss Hazel Ailee Durst, daughter of Mrs. Coralie B. Durst of Clark street, Clearfield, Pa., were united in marriage by Dr. H. R. Bender. Miss Grace Butler and Francis McGoey were the attendants. The couple left on the evening train for Akron, Ohio, where they will make their future home.

FOTHERINGHAM—WOOD

Today at noon, at the parsonage of the Lutheran church on North Third street, by the Rev. C. R. Allenbach, James Fotheringham and Miss Martha Wood, both of Philipsburg, Pa., were united in marriage. The ring ceremony of the Lutheran church was used. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fotheringham left on the afternoon train for Philipsburg where they will reside for the present on Second street.

BRITAIN'S BOY HERO

LIEUT. W. B. FANE

There is one proof that the Britishers are making no to the importance of the war to the first that they have no W. B. Fane, a boy only [illegible] years old, and just one of school, is a subalterne [illegible] in action to dest of a German Zeppelin over the Norfolk coast some weeks [illegible] Fane more than a year he has [illegible] in his participation in guarding the British coast from the approach of [illegible] ships from the German navy.

Congress Quibbling Over Endorsement Of Wilson Note

Senator Hitchcock Declares Very Existence of Neutral Nations Threatened.---Wilson Action Justified

CONGRESS NOT EXPECTED TO ENDORSE

Washington, Jan. 3.—(By United Press)—**The very existance of neutral nations is difficult. Senator Hitchcock declared today in fighting for an endorsement by the senate of President Wilson's note to the belligerents. Hitchcock said "there are two opinions in the senate as to the President's suggestion but I cannot believe there can be any but favorable action regarding the endorsement of it. This is the first step of President Wilson's to bring about peace. President Wilson has not done what Roosevelt did during the Japanese-Russo war. He has not asked them to stop the war. If Roosevelt was justified in his actions during the Japanese-Russo war then President Wilson is more than justified as the very existence of neutrals is becoming difficult."**

Senator Harding of Ohio openly declared to the United Press today that endorsement of the President's note will not be approved by the senate because the note was prepared in secrecy and that even members of the foreign relations committee were not consulted. Republican members took up the fight to relegate the foreign affairs committee but failed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry A. Saltsman and Minnie A. Wilcox both of Karthaus.

Martin Swanson, of East Pittsburg, and Anna Kirchner of Johnstown.

August C. Becker, of Detroit, Mich., and Rose Young of Curwensville.

Joseph Thompson, of Curwensville, and Della May Hennerman, of Big Run.

Elmer E. Swope and Twyla P. Shields, both of DuBois.

Leroy A. Dorman, of Cornwath and Mildred McNeel, of New Millport.

Fred Wilson, of Curwensville and Hazel Durst, of Clearfield.

John Solski, of Adrian and Mary Ramavich, of Stancy.

Carlo Cassi and Clatilda Orlandi, both of Osceola Mills.

Biagio Giubelli and Assurti Titi, both of Curwensville.

William Remik of Winburne and Sarah Berton, of Gearhartville.

William Cossick, of Munson and Kathryn Burton, of Gearhartville.

Samuel McCracken and Bernice Gratton, both of Madera.

Helge A. Lindquist, of Youngstown and Elen Danielson, of Lanse.

Wawne Taylor and Ruth Peters, both of Bigler.

Enloe H. Bell, of Akron, Ohio and Hazel Johnston, of Curry Run.

TO ATTACK HIGH COST OF LIVING

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Measures aiming to reduce the high cost of living are to have a foremost place on the agenda of the New York legislative session which convened today for organization. Early in the session it is expected the Wicks investigation committee will make a report and recommend legislation which will provide market facilities in New York and other large cities with a view of eliminating the middlemen.

Mrs. Roy Boyce who was operated upon for goitre at the Clearfield hospital on Monday is getting along very nicely, which is gratifying news to her host of friends.

SECOND WARD CO. HELD ELECTION LAST NIGHT

After Business Session a Luncheon Was Served and General Good Time Had

POTTER RE-ELECTED FOREMAN

The Second Ward Fire company held their regular annual election of officers at a meeting held in their hose house last evening. Following the business session refreshments were served and a general good time was the result. Following is a list of the officers elected:

Foreman, **J Kay Potter.**

First assistant, **Ralph Gulich.**

Second assistant, **Charles Davis.**

Marshal, **John Davis.**

Steward, **Frank McDivitt.**

Treasurer, **H. C. McCloud.**

Secretary, **Ira Jay.**

Representatives to the department: **Austin McDivitt, Fred Barrett, Stanley Mebert, Fred Bartley.**

Alternates, **John Stock, John Hughes, Ralph Gulich, John Davis.**

Representatives to Relief Association: **Lewis Davis, Ed. Vieheofer, Ralph Gulich.**

Members of the Children's Aid society desire to thank all those who in any way contributed to the society and the home both at Thanksgiving and at Christmas. The generous gifts received and the kindly interest displayed in every way, was very much appreciated by those who are carrying on this work. 3t-3t

National Essay Writing Contest Being Conducted By The Schools

Medal Will be Awarded to Writers of Best Essay Of One Thousand Wornd on Thrift

During the last few years the National Educational association has been conducting an Essay contest on "Thrift." Last year 20,000 school children participated in this contest and eleven contestants representing eight states were awarded prizes. The prize is a medal provided by S. W. Straus, president of the American Society for Thrift.

The plan for conducting the contest for Clearfield county will be as follows: Every school in the county will be eligible to enter the contest. The teacher may have as many essays from her school written as there are pupils who desire to enter. The teacher may have as many essays from her school written as there are pupils who desire to enter. **The teacher shall determine who has written the best essay, which is to be sent to the county superintendent's office. Only one essay from each school is called for because but a single prize in the form of a medal is awarded in each county. This essay** is limited to 1000 words.

All essays must be filed in the County Superintendent's office by May 1st. In sending the essay also give the number of pupils who wrote in order that we may determine the number who were contesting in the county. When the best essay in the county has been determined it will be sent to the office of the secretary of the National Educational association.

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WOMEN TO THE PENITENTIARY

The sentencing of Luella Brandon to the penitentiary yesterday is of unusual interest from the fact that it is seldom indeed that it is necessary to send one of the female sex there from a comunity such as ours. It is very much to be regretted that Clearfield County bear the stigma of having to confine one of the weaker sex behind the cold stone walls of the penitentiary. The incident raised the question of when the last woman was sent to the penitentiary from this county. The trial will be remembered by only a few as it attracted very little attention and was tried before Judge Patton of Armstrong County who held court here at that time. At this court Mrs. Julia Evans of Beccaria was found guilty of voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of two and one half years.

WHAT HAVE WE SAID?

One of our good Republican friends takes us to task for our utterance about Senator Penrose. He says we ought to come out and congratulate him on his victory over the Brumbaugh forces at Harrisburg on the speakership contest and recognize in him the leader of the Republican Party in Pennsylvania.

We agree with our good friend in that Mr. Penrose should be congratulated upon his victory. We have never discounted the power of Penrose in state and national politics. He is without doubt one of the most powerful political men that Pennsylvania ever produced. At times public sentiment seems to roll up in huge waves against him but he always emerges from the fray with banners flying and his candidates elected. His overwhelming election to the United States Senate by popular vote was proof conclusive that the Republican party of Pennsylvania look to him as their leader. The selection of Richard Baldwin as speaker of the house proves that his influence in the legislative halls at Harrisburg is predominent and that the recent elections held all over the state were according to his desires. In the face of all this it would be foolish to attempt to belittle the power and influence of the man and it has been proven futile to attempt to wrest that power from him.

We would call to the attention of our friend the fact that our criticisms have not been literal but have been to the point in all cases. We have not said anything against Mr. Penrose personally as many newspapers have done. We havemade no attempt to defame his character and take no stock in the many allegations that have been made from time to time. We would no sooner believe them than the story that Teddy was a boozer and that Prohibition brings disaster.

We do, however, reserve the right to criticize the official acts of Mr. Penrose, even though he is the political leader of the state. We have no criticism to offer on the man who votes no on a bill that we think should have carried. We have no criticism to make on a man who votes yes on a bill that we think is a bad measure but the legislator who willfully absents himself from his post of duty when an important vote is being taken is giving no service to his state. He should be there working one way or the other.

A political party is different from a military organization. Members of any party have a perfect right, and we believe it to be a duty to criticize, their leaders. Nothing so resembles a mushroom in its decadent qualities as a political party. Honest criticism is the morning dew that keeps the party from shriveling up and dying of dry rot. We do not criticize for the fun of criticizing. We do not find fault for the trouble we may stir up. When we criticize we do so direct, and because we believe we are rendering a service to the party in pointing out what we believe to be its weakness.

MARITAL DISASTERS

Our recital yesterday of the proportionate numbers of marriages and divorce actions during the year in this county has caused no little comment. The figures are indeed staggering. It is hard to believe that every week in the last year a home was broken up and in many cases children set adrift on the highways of life's stoney road to make a way for themselves with the handicap of a divorced father or mother and some stigma of shame attached to them for life. Study of the cause bringing these conditions about is the proper place to begin the regeneration of the race. Five years of time in Clearfield county without an action in divorce court would result in a wonderful social, moral and economic change in the lives of the residents of the county.

MY TREASURE CHEST AND ITS CONTENTS

Not filled with bags of gold, or precious stones, or valuable documents is my treasure chest. Nor is it an old pine box buried under a great tree in some forest. My treasure chest is a wicker window box which stands under my writing table in the dressing-room at the Vitagraph studio. Or, I should say that it is just one of my treasure chests. The other is an old, worn, leather trunk which stands in the trunk room at "The Wood Violet," my little country home on Long Island.

Both of these chests—the wicker one and the old trunk which held Mother o'Mine's trousseau—contain the letters which you all write me.

When the letters come to me every morning at the studio they are opened — sorted — answered — and then placed away in the wicker chest. After a certain time, however, the letter is taken out to my dear little home in my machine, after which it is placed in the old leather trunk.

There is no greater help in the screen star's life than these letters which you write, dear friends. All of us love a bit of praise and appreciation now and then, and these messages of yours serve to let us know whether or not our pictures are favored by you.

You see the legitimate ster is inspired by the great sea of faces before her, the orchestra, the applause and the glimmering footlights. The movie star, however, works without an audience, before the cold camera that is all-seeing and critical. Every blemish is magnified by the motion picture, and the star never knows until the letters come in how her efforts are received.

Although I have never worked behind the footlights and do not miss the applause of pleased audience, the letters mean much to me. Some of the happiest moments of my life come when I go over the epistles which you so thoughtfully write.

When I am old and gray—after you have forgotten all about the dear letters which you now write — I expect to spend many, many happy hours reading over the wonderful tributes which you have paid my work from time to time. Thank you for your letters a thousand times, dear friends. May I be worthy of your love always.

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BECOMES ARMY OFFICER'S BRIDE

Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 3.—A wedding of interest in military circles here today was that of Miss Cora Mebane, daughter of Mrs. W. N. Mebane, of New Brighton, Staten Island and Lieutenant John E. Russell, U. S. A., son of Brig. Gen. William Russell, former chief of engineers of the United States army.

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If you have a sallow skin, if you feel dull even pimples appear, if you have headaches, a feeling of dullness, want to be free of sores, blotches and pimples, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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CATTS TAKES OFFICES IN FLORIDA

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 2.—Rev. Sidney J. Catts, who was elected on an independent ticket after one of the most spirited campaigns in the history of the state, was formally installed in the office of chief executive of Florida today. The inauguration was attended by the pageantry and pomp which are usually made a part of the ceremonies on the occasion of the administration of the oath of office to the governor of the commonwealth. The crowd was one of the largest ever seen here on inauguration day.

Roundabout Way.

"I see where an aviator contrived to have the last word with his wife."

"How on earth did he do it?"

"He didn't exactly do it on earth."

"Why?"

"He was 1,000 feet in the air and dropped her a message."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Experienced Husband.

"She threatens to sue for divorce."

"What's he going to do?"

"Nothing. When their quarrels get to that point he always keeps still. He's learned from experience that the next wave will be a flood of tears."—Detroit Free Press.

Two Sorrows.

The sorrow of the woman who cries out her grief on the kitchen towel somehow seems more sincere than that of the woman who puts on a pretty gown, arranges the sofa cushions and turns the lights low before she begins. —Exchange.

Business.

Lawyer—If I bring a suit against your husband I'll be able to get about a third of his income as alimony for you. Prospective Divorcee—Gosh! I can do better than that myself. For years I've been getting nearly all his salary out of him.—Lamb.

Religious.

"Is he a religious man?"

"I guess so."

"Does he go to church?"

"I don't think he ever goes himself, but he never kicks on his wife going when she wants to."—Detroit Free Press.

Advice is not disliked because it is advice, but because so few people know how to give it.—Leigh Hunt.

WANTED—Coal miners. Will pay $1.25 per ton. Call H. & C. phone 453 z J3-4t.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush your Kidneys Occasionally if you Eat Meat Regularly

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipa- disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Primary Election Tuesday, Sept. 18, 1917

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce the name of Wesley P. Norris of Clearfield borough as a candidate for the office of High sheriff of Clearfield county, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. Address Clearfield, Pa. 1-1-16

Opening the Stubborn Knife.

Does your pocketknife blade refuse to open? Here is a certain and easy method of bringing it to terms.

Place one corner of your handkerchief over the back of the stubborn blade and wind the rest of it tightly around the knife. Hold the opposite corner between the first and second fingers of your right hand (if you are right handed) and throw the knife from you with some speed. Go over and pick it up and you will find the blade opened. I have yet to find a knife so rusty that it will not yield to this treatment, and—it does save the thumb nails. —Outing.

Chip of the Old Block.

"There was a millionaire who brags about his son to everybody who will listen."

"Evidently the young fellow is not like the average heir to great wealth."

"No, indeed. The old gentleman was financed in the stock market last week, and when he discovered that his own son had turned the trick he was the proudest man in the United States."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Think of This.

"Found an honest man yet?" we asked Diogenes.

"Has anyone a phonograph today that interested you almost as much. A lady giving no housekeeping was making around trying to find a situation for a good cook."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

How They Love Each Other.

Agnes (newlywed)—Oh, dear, I feel today as if I were thirty years old! Marie—Why, what have you been doing to rejuvenate yourself?—Boston Transcript.

A Fine Distinction.

"Is her husband a medical man?"

"No, I think he's just a specialist or something."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Be just and fear not. Let all the ends thou aimest at be thy country's, thy God's and truth's.—Shakespeare.

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Good Advice.

Mr. Woggs—Somebody wrote to the editor to ask how to eat corn off the cob. Mrs. Woggs—What does the editor say? Mr. Woggs—He says, silently.—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

A Friendly Tip.

Sapleigh—Would you—er—advise me to—er—marry a beautiful girl or a sensible girl? Hammersley—I'm afraid you'll never be able to marry either, old man. Sapleigh—Why not? Hammersley—Well, a beautiful girl could do better and a sensible girl would know better.—Exchange.

And No Wonder.

"So the Jilloways quarreled?"

"Last week."

"What was the trouble?"

"Mr. Jilloway's first wife writes him a long birthday letter every year, and I think it finally got on the nerves of Mrs. Jilloway's nerves."—Savannah Press.

APPLICATIONS WANTED

Applications for the position of Health Officer and Secretary of the Board of Health of Clearfield Borough will be received by the Board until Friday evening, January 12th. All applications must be in writing. The applicant should be physically sound and should have had some experience in clerical work.

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Daddy's Bedtime Story—A LITTLE BOY WHOSE WISH CAME TRUE

He Said He Would Like to Live There.

DADDY had put down a fat red book when the children came in to ask for their bedtime story.

"What were you reading, daddy, dear?" questioned Evelyn, trying to get a peep into the book.

"I was reading a story book," replied daddy.

"Then maybe you will tell us a story out of it," suggested Jack.

"When you are old enough you will much better enjoy reading these stories yourself. They were written by one of the most delightful story tellers who ever lived, and, unlike most tales written for grownups, they can be enjoyed by boys and girls. I was only twelve years old when I read the first of his stories. Perhaps because this writer was always a boy at heart his stories are so readily understood by little people.

"Little Charles—for his father was also Charles—was very fond of strolling about and looking at queer old churches and quaint buildings. The charming little boy in the blue suit with its wide white collar had a friendly way and would often stop and chat with the people he met.

"One day—it was when he was about nine years old—he stopped in front of a long, rambling house near the city of Rochester, England, where he then lived. His father had him by the hand and, pointing at the pretty house, little Charles said:

"'There is the house where I would like to live.' It was a handsome place known as Gadshill and quite beyond the means of the Dickens family.

"'Very well, my son,' said the boy's father. 'Just keep that in mind and work hard. There is no reason why some day you may not live there.'

"The boy never forgot that. When he was sixteen his family needed his earnings, so he was taken from school and put into a lawyer's office, and from there he went to a newspaper. His father was also a newspaper reporter.

"By and by young Charles Dickens began to write stories, and they were such fine stories that soon every one was reading them. There were his stories about Mr. Pickwick and Sam Weller, about poor little Oliver Twist, the workhouse boy; about David Copperfield and about dear Little Nell. He wrote many others, but these, I think, are the stories that young people love best.

"His books brought him so much money that he was able to buy the house of his dreams, beautiful Gadshill. He went there to live with his wife and children, and he was fond of telling his friends how as a little boy he used to stand out at the gate staring longingly into the gardens where now his children played."

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated form the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomain-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and Women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarterpound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make any one an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowels do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone-phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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The "Mad Monk," or Sergius Michaelow Trufanoff, whose articles on Russia were bought by a New York magazine two months ago, but were suppressed, says the imperial family of Russia is in absolute control of the priest Rasputin. He says Rasputin brought on the war, and is now, for personal reasons, trying to force the czar into a separate peace with Germany. Rasputin, he says, has full control over the czarina, and through her controls the family.

Statement of the
CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK
Clearfield, Penna.
December 27, 1916
Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of the Currency

RESOURCES

Investments	$ 874,401.11
Overdrafts	10,217.69
United States bonds,	201,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	270,575.00
Bank building & fixtures,	49,642.79
Due from banks	202,459.52
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Cash on hand	72,803.24
	$1,682,099.35

LIABILITIES

Capital stock,	200,000.00
Surplus fund,	200,000.00
Undivided profits	42,131.22
Dividends unpaid	35.00
Circulation	197,900.00
Due to banks	1,472.42
Due depositors	1,040,560.71
	$1,682,099.35

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REPORT OF COMMITEE ON TEACHERS' READING COURSE

At a recent meeting of the committee on Teachers' Reading course the following books were adopted for the teachers of Clearfield county: Lincoln's "Everyday Pedagogy" published by Ginn & Co. Schmucker's "The Study of Nature" published by Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia and Colegrove's "The Teacher and the School" published by Charles Scribner's sons, New York.

The first two books on the list will be used as a basis for examination for provisional certificates.

Committee:
J. E. RADEBACH,
L. J. GILLILAND
O. C. WRIGLEY

News of OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

There was a dance in the Moose Hall last night.

We are glad to state that Mrs. J. H. Cooke is slowly convalescing.

J. A. Kujawa, the up-to-date tailor was a DuBois visitor yesterday.

The old year passed out without much excitement in this place.

Local teachers' institute will be held in this county beginning January 27.

Teachers and scholars resumed their duties in the public schools yesterday.

Sunday night's special New Year's eve service ta the Methodist church was well attended.

Miss Elizabeth Hawkins, daughter of Rev. I. P. Hawkins, will leave on Thursday for Colorado.

A slight wreck on the B., R. & P. railroad yesterday near the brick yard caused by a loaded coal car getting tired of staying on the track, called the wreck train from DuBois.

The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held tonight at 7:45. The Kings Daughters will serve refreshments and an enjoyable time is promised all in attendance.

Mrs. Harry Deter of South Side, received a telegram yesterday telling of the serious illness of his mother at Bradford, Pa. Mrs. Deter left on the noon B., R. & P. train for that place.

Emelio Leyyer, Pike township's dairyman who was operated upon in the Clearfield hospital the latter part of December, is still a patient at the hospital. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Every man, woman and child in Curwensville should hear the Cambria county orator, the Rev. Charles Swift, at the Methodist church Thursday evening under the auspices of the Clearfield County Dry Federation.

James Humphreys who had been in Pittsburgh for several weeks and spent the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Humphreys, near Curwensville, left Tuesday morning for Philipsburg, where he has accepted a position with an electrical company.

At an enthusiastic meeting of Curwensville Republicans held last night in their room in the Patton block, the following organization was effected:

President, Fred McKenzie.
Secretary, William Leech.
Treasurer, C. S. Russell.

Room committee, Harvey Hawk, Charles Coolroth and Ollie Smith. The committee wil immediately complete the furnishing of one room, provide keys for the members and every member is invited to drop in at any time and help himself to the comforts and benefits of this club.

Rev. E. D. Parkhill and wife, Mrs. T. J. Robison, Paul Robison, Mrs. Margaret Frankhouser, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Woodward, Mrs. Belle Ames and sons, Don and Russell, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Frankhauser and sons, Chester, Edgar, Grest and Miss Annie Frankhouser were among the invited guests at the salmon dinner and lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Henchberger of Thompson street on New Year's day. Not only salmon was enjoyed by all, but roast chicken and all the viands that go to make up a good dinner. The large salmon weighed 10 pounds, head off, and was shipped from Seattle, Washington, where Mr. and Mrs. Henchberger visited some time ago and at present their daughters, Mrs. David Irvin and Miss Nellie Patterson are residing.

Cyrus G. Hall, only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hall, died in a hospital at Bradford Sunday night at 11:45, where he was operated upon and had been a patient for the past ten days, suffering from an ulcerated stomach which terminated in peritonitis.

Deceased was born in Pike township and was 23 years of age. "Si" as he was familiarly known, for his pleasant maner and sunny disposition, endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact, having been employed by the electrical company in this place several years ago. Deceased is survived by his parents and four sisters, Mrs. D. H. Bloom, Curwensville; Mrs. L. S. LeGore, Mrs. R. H. Walters and Miss Grace Hall, of Philadelphia. His mother and sister, Mrs. Bloom, were in Bradford during his illness, the former being at his bedside when he passed away. The parents have the sympathy of a host of friends in this place. During his illness, which was painful, the young man acknowledged Christ as his personal Savior and made his peace with God.

Funeral services wil be held at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. H. Bloom on Walnut street, Thursday afternoon, January 4, Rev. J. Max Lantz of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating. Interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

Like New Velvet

That's what one lady said after I had cleaned a velvet suit for her. The "pile" stood up and had that "shimmery" look of new matrial. She was pleased. You will be, too, if you will bring in anything velvet to be cleaned.

A. G. BARTHOLOMEW
Market St., Clearfield, Pa.

OSCEOLA MILLS

Francis Henderson left on Monday for Youngstown, Ohio, where he has secured a lucrative position in a large manufactory. We will miss "Hennie"

Prof. Elna Nelsen, of Honesdale, Pa., is a guest at the home of Mrs. A. S. Brown.

James Dugen and wife, of Philadelphia, are visiting friends here this week.

Miriam Brown, who spent the holidays with her parents here, returned to Harrisburg on Monday.

Miss Mary Moore left on Tuesday morning to resume her studies at the University of Philadelphia.

J. E. Kolbenschlag, Mr. J. Frank Brown and wife, Herman S. Brown and wife, and Fred D. Brown were among these who went to Philadelphia to view the Mummers parade on Monday.

At a meeting of the officers and teachers of the Presbyterian Sabbath School held on Sunday the following officers were elected: Supt. W. P. Whitney, Asst. Supt. Prof. J. T. Radebach, Secy. Stella McFeeters; Treas. Harriett Woodcock; Asst. Sec. William Gerhart Jr.; Organist, Ethel Gess.

The memebership contest of the Y. M. C. A. closed on Monday evening with cosiderable activity on both sides. The "Reds" wining with a majority of two.

John Gearhart and family, of Altoona, spent Sunday with his parents here.

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MORGAN RUN

J. J. Bush was at Blue Ball Saturday on business.

S. E. Smeal has been on the sick list the past few days.

Len Bush is on the sick list the last few days.

Davy Jones and wife and little daughter Esther spent Sunday with Charles Bush.

Creighton Smeal and his sister [illegible] and Miss Ruth Williamson were [illegible] M. E. church for preaching service Sunday evening.

Mrs. [illegible] Smeal and Mrs. Davy [illegible] daughter Esther called on Mrs. Thomas Smeal Sunday evening.

[illegible] Ruth and Martha Mills [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Bush Sunday [illegible]

[illegible] was taking a vacation and expected to return to his work [illegible]

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RULES

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Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell in has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morningthe gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

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Statement of the
COUNTY NATIONAL BANK
—OF—
CLEARFIELD, PA.
At the close of business Dec. 27, 1916
(Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of Currency)

RESOURCES

Investments, less demand loans		$3,316,459.15
Overdrafts		4,755.14
United States bonds		511,120.00
Banking house, furniture & Fixtures		48,330.39
Due from United States Treasurer		25,000.00
Cash Resources		
Cash on hand, $244,217.82		
Due from banks 595,740.28		
Demand loans on collateral	213,429.15	1,053,397.46
Total		$4,979,062.08

LIABILITIES

Capital stock $500,000.00		
Surplus and net profits	602,376.39	1,102,376.39
Circulation		492,000.00
Due to banks		8,973.88
Dividends unpaid		8.00
Deposits		3,285,7[illegible]6.2[illegible]
Total		$4,979,062.08

DIRECTORS

Fred B. Kerr, H. F. Bigler, H. L. Forcey, John Kennard, James A. McPherson, W. C. Miller, James P. O'Laughlin, H. B. Powell and A. K. Wright, all of Clearfield; A. L. Forcey, of Bigler; W. R. Potter, of Karthaus.

Advertise in The Progress.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the Clearfield County Institute held in Clearfield, December 18th to 22nd 1916.

Receipts

Received from county treasurer	$ 200.00
Received contributions from teachers	877.95
Received from proceeds of evening lectures	226.79
Received from proceeds of entertainments	166.00
Received from proceeds from other sources	43.60
	$1514.34

Expenditures

Paid instructors	$ 580.00
Paid lecturers	200.00
Paid evening entertainments other than lectures	225.00
Paid for use of hall	240.00
Paid for printing and advertising	104.70
Paid for other expenses	155.50
	$1505.20
Balance	$ 9.14

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Auditors.

It Depends on the Dog.

Two Broadway business men met before a bar. They were good friends.

"I'm worried a little," said one. "My chauffeur run over a dog today and killed it."

"Oh, I wouldn't worry about a little thing like that," said the other. "The dog probably got in the way. These dogs are a pest."

"But it was your dog."

"What?" came from the second. "My dog? I'm sorry, but that will cost you $100. That chauffeur of yours is too careless. I insist on the hundred, understand."—New York Telegraph.

So 'Twould.

"How would you like to take a trip in a submarine?"

"I shouldn't care for that," replied the society bud.

"Why not?"

"Oh, dear! Must I really tell you? An ocean voyage would be frightfully boring, you know, if there were no place to dawn on." Birmingham Age Herald.

Rack Rents.

A "rack rent" is a rent that is equivalent to the full net annual value of the real property out of which it arises, or approximately so. [illegible] England today rack rent is defined as "not less than two-thirds of the full net annual value of the lands out of which it arises."

Name of the Collie.

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Ancient Candles.

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COLORADO MINING ASSOCIATION

Denver, Colo., Jan. 3.—The Colorado Metal Mining association, at its fourth annual meeting begun here today, will discuss a number of proposed changes in the Federal mining laws, the repeal of the present law for the taxation of producing mines, proposed changes in the compensation insurance laws, and the government conservation policies, with special reference to the continued withdrawal from development of public lands.

BEDBUG AND COCKROACH CREEP INTO THE NEWS

Indianapolis, Jan. 2.—(By United Press) It becomes the duty of purveyors of news to announce that State Etomologist Frank N. Wallace today sounded the deathknoll of all Hoosier bedbugs and cockroaches. He did it in an official bulletin declaring that 5 parts flour and one part of plaster of paris, with a dish of water nearby, will make stones in the cockroaches tummies and end them, while you may gas the bedbugs with gasoline.

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OUR NEIGHBORS

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Frank Bush spent C. Smeal.

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GLEN HOPE.

Frank Bell was an Ansonville caller Sunday afternoon.

James Glasgow Jr., has returned to Pittsburgh after spending Christmas with friends in town.

Miss Hettie Patchin returned Friday to her duties as nurse in Clearfield hospital, after a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patchin.

Miss Vera Bloom, of Irvona, was guest of her niece, Miss Gertrude Patton this week.

Russell and Herbert Wright of Irvona, were Glen Hope visitors last week.

Miles Bloom of Ansonville, was a business caller in town Monday.

Miss Verde Rex returned to Coalport Saturday afternoon after a week spent in Glen Hope.

Bennie Bloom was a caller in town Saturday evening.

William Groom was an Irvona visitor Monday.

Miss Margaret Baer who is employed in Johnstown, spent Christmas with her grandmother, Mrs. Susan Kengy.

J. W. Bratton returned to Virginia after a few days spent in our town.

Rilla Patchin returneded to Philadelphia last week after a few days visit with her parents here.

F. J. Caldwell, of Greensburg, spent art of last week in Glen Hope.

Russell Bell was an Irvona caller on Sunday.

Darrel Davis was in Irvona Monday.

Cecil and Earl Davis returned to Lock Haven after a few weeks visit with parents in this place.

Miss Edna Cooper and Ruth Groom were Clearfield visitors Friday.

Protracted meetings are being held in the M. E. church here by Pastor, Rev. John LePage.

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BOUCK WHITE

Bouck White, pastor of the Church of the Social Revolution, one of the leading exponents of Socialism in the United States, has been expelled by the party in New York City. He dared to vote in the last election for other men than Socialists, and the party managers will not tolerate that. It has been said others as prominient in the movement as White will also be cast out.

GRAMPIAN

Grampian dead! No indeed. She was to the front Sunday night with a real, old time watch meeting.

The W. C. T. U. opened the meeting with an interesting service and presented an entertaining program. The first number was a recitation by Miss Edith Anderson and Miss Jonnson.

Reading by Mrs. D. J. Bonsall and Mrs. McKenrick.

Solo by the Woods sisters, followed by a song by Bonsall.

The quartette then rendered a pretty selection, which was followed by instructive talks by Dr. Miller and Rev. Flegal.

Mrs. W. I. Wall read the yearly report of the union which showed five new members and the organization to be in an especially flourishing condition.

This was followed by the election of officers for the Sunday School for the coming year.

The real watch meeting service was then opened with a song and prayer by Rev. Flegal. Rev. Flegal followed with a powerful sermon after which, with the altar filled with members in silent prayer the old year was rung out and the new one in with Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Woodel at the bell rope.

Grampian will surely be a cool place next summer judging from the number of ice houses being filled now.

Don Woodel returned to Akron, Ohio, where he is employed in the rubber works.

The ladies social club met at Mrs. Woodel's on Thursday evening.

The remonstrances against license are being circulated now and are being quite generally signed. Don't shirk your duty, but sign up and help save the boys.

Advertise in The Progress.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Stayman Reed left last evening for Princeton after spending the holidays with his father.

Maynard Reed, William Leitzinger and Cortez Bell and guests left for Ann Arbor, Mich. where they attend the University of Michigan.

Fredrick Wright returned this morning to State College after spending the Christmas vtcation at home,

W. B. Potter of Karthaus transacted business in town yesterday.

Wliilam Patterson returned last evening form a visit with his fiancee Miss Alice Moconochie in Carlisle.

Misses Alta Boyce and Kathryn Roessner left today for Philadelphit where they are taking a course in Domestic Science at Drexel Institute.

Miss Josephine Tonner and Bruce Wallace attended the dance in Du Bois last evening.

K. R. Irwin of Toledo, Ohio who was called here on account of the illness of his mother Mrs. Fred B. Irwin left last evening for New York.

Hazzard Chase returned to Bucknell University todty after spending Vacation with his parents.

Tom Wallace returned to Easton today where he attends Lafayette College.

Mr. Sawyer of Ansonville was in town on business yesterday.

John Chase left today for the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. Mich. after spending the holidays with his parents.

Miss Margaret Kyper has returned to Patton to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools.

Miss Catherine Henderson and George Batcheler of Glen Richey spent last evening in Clearfield.

Clair Mignot returned to his home in Frenchville yesterday after spending New Years in town.

J. B. Beauseigneur left last evening for Pittsburgh and Butler to visit relatives.

Mrs. Bish Lansberry of Bradford Township was shopping in Clearfield yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Shivery of Woodland, were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Hugh Stewart has returned to the University of Pennsylvania after spending the holidays with his parents.

Mr. Shaddock of Karthaus, attended to business in town today.

Miss Florence Graham entertained her Sunday school class at a fancy work party last evening at her home on West Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mosebarger and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sheehe left yesterday for St. Petersburg, Florida where they will spend the winter.

John Adams returned to Blossburg, Pa., yesterday after spending the holidays with his mother Mrs. Adams of Margaretta street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kennard were called to Altoona last evening on account of the serious illness of Mr. Kennard's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kennard, who is ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. Tate.

Mrs. Mary Whitmarsh returned yesterday from a visit with her daughter Mrs. Van Campen at Olean, N. Y.

Mrs. F. W. Bailey and Mrs. Cleaver of Curwensville were shopping in town yesterday.

John McKeage of Mahaffey spent yesterday in Clearfield.

J. S. Briel of Karthaus was in town on business today.

Matthew Graham of Woodland transacted business in town today.

Guy Lawhead and William Apgar have returned to Allegheny College at Meadville after spending the holidays with their parents.

W. McLaughlin has returned from spending New Years at Pittsburgh.

REMEMBERED 72ND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Captain and Mrs. Isaiah Copelin on New Years day celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary. The event was marked by a big dinner, at which the members of the family were present, given by their daughter, Mrs. Andrew Nelson, and held at the home of the latter and her husband on Fourth street. It was a happy occasion, and enjoyed by none more than the Captain and his good wife.—Philipsburg Journal.

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NEW SWISS PRESIDENT

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Edmund Schulthess is the new president of Switzerland, who will serv during 1917. He will be confronted with the big problems of peace growing out of the war, and if peace should come in 1917 he will have much to do with the negotiations.

ANNUAL REPORT OF JOHN A. STOCK
Desertion-Probation Officer

From Jan. 1, 1916 to Dec. 31, 1916

The following report is respectfully submitted:

Number of cases settled by self without warrant being issued	68
Number of cases settled by self after warrant was issued	31
Number of cases reaching court	48
Number of cases pending	5
Assisted in making legal adoptions	5
Total number of cases handled by Desertion-Probation officer	157

The following disposition was made of the 48 cases reaching court:

Sentenced to the penitentiary	6
Received money sentences	30
Number of cases dismissed	2
Number of A. & B. cases	10
Total	48

Of the 30 cases receiving money sentences, 14 were heard by the court, leaving 115 in which settlement was effected between the parties and officers, and such settlement submitted to the Honorable Judge for his approval and decree.

Of the 10 A. & B. cases, two of the defendants were sent to the asylum.

Regarding the 31 cases settled after warrant was issued, 8 were F. & B. cases and the balance quarrels of various kinds, mostly A. & B. between husband and wife.

The 68 cases settled without warrant were domestic troubles of all descriptions such as A. & B., wastefulness, drunkenness, birth-control, etc.

Financial Statement

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1916	$ 232.17
Amount collected during year	3178.77
Total amount to be disbursed	3410.94
Amount disbursed during year	3194.28
Balance on hand	$ 216.66
Total number of open accounts on which collections are being made	53
Expenses of officer for carfare, livery hire, hotel bills, interpreters and postage, in line of duty	$263.09

Comparative Statement

No. of cases	1914	1915	1916	Increase over 1915
handled	95	119	157	38
Open accounts	15	21	53	32

Amount disbursed	
1914	$ 719.93
1915	1670.64
1916	3194.28
Increase over 1915	1523.64

JOHN A. STOCK
Desertion Probation Officer.

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FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT LOCK HAVEN

Wiliam H. Peters, a former well-known resident of this section, died at his home in Lock Haven, on Monday morning January 1, 1917, at 9 o"clock, of Bright's disease, after an illnes of about six weeks duration.

The deceased was a native of Decatur township, being a member of one of the best known pioneer families of that section. He resided in Clearfield for many years, being employed as superintendent of mines by the Clearfield Fire Brick company. About ten years ago he removed to Curwensvile and later went to Lock Haven to take charge of the clay mines of Lock Haven Fire Brick company.

He was married to Miss Bressler, who survives him with the following children: Jonas, of Lock Haven; Blanche, of York; Florence, of Lock Haven, and Maggie of Spangler. He is also survived by two brothers and one sister, Frank of West Decatur; Clarence, of Pittsburgs, and Mrs. Ella Rhule, of Philipsburg.

The funeral was held at Philipsburg at 11 o'clock this morning with interment in Philipsburg cemetery.

BIRTHDAY OF ITALY"S QUEEN

Rome, Jan. 3—Queen Helena entered upon her 45 year today and was the recipient of presents and birthday greetings from the rulers of the allied countries and from associations and individuals throughout the kingdom of Italy. Since Italy entered the war her Majesty, in common with other women of the royal family, has devoted much of her time to relief work, and seldom a week passes that the wounded soldiers and sailors in the Roman hospitals are not cheered by a personal visit from the Queen.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Catherine Powell died Friday morning, December 29, at 1:30, at her home on William street, aged 66 years, 10 month and 16 days.

Though she had been suffering for several months with a complication of diseases the cause of her death was due to a paralytic stroke.

She was a daughter of David and Marie McDowell and was born in Graham township, February 8, 1850, where she spent most of her life. With her family she came to Clearfield, April 1901, and resided there until her death.

Her husband preceded her to the better world November 19, 1900.

She had a host of friends who will sadly miss her, but she will be missed most in the home. She was a faithful member of the United Brethren church and was a beautiful Christian woman and lived a life of devotion

She is survived by the following children: J. Frank Powell, of Jersey Shore, Pa.; Mrs. Curtis Jury, LeContes Mills; Andrew C. Powell, Mrs. H. L. Shaw, Mrs. A. C. Jury all of Clearfield, and Miss Jennie and little grandson, Lynton, at home. Also one sister, Mrs. Jacob Rhinehart, of Bigler.

The funeral took place on Snuday, Rev. B. J. Hummel of Clearfield U. B. church conducting the services. Interment in Fairview cemetery.

There is no love like Mother's love
So tender, yearning, true;
No music sounds like Mother's voice,
There are no skies so blue
As mother's' eyes, when resting on
Her sorry, wayward child,
No refuge like a Mother's arms—
So strong, so fond, so mild.
If she has left us on this earth,
We'll pray to her—above;
She'll help us, through Eternity—
No love's like Mother's love.

Margaret Thompson of Triangle-Kay Bee, Very Much at Home.

ON THE SCREEN

"AT PINEY RIDGE"

Story of the Thrilling Selig play to be Shown at the Opera House Tomorrow Morning

Beautiful Cindy Lane, only daughter of grim old Zeb. Lane, a mountaineer loves Mark Brierson, not wisely, but too well. Mark after plucking the mountain flower, grinds the blossom under his heel. Brierson uses the Deering bank funds for cotton speculation and losses. He resolves to marry Deering's daughter to recoup his fortunes. Cindy Lane becomes a mother, and her grim old father vows to kill the man responsible. Through the machinations of Brierson, suspicions is centered on Jack Rose, a wealthy young farmer. How Rosee lears his name, how he wins Deering's daughter, and how Brierson meets his just fate, are only incidents in a gripping drama of plot and counter plot of white hot hate and sincere love.

"SUDDEN RICHES"

Special at the Globe Theatre Today

The story of "Sudden Riches" deals with a legacy of hate. Old Abner Crewe, a miser and reclusc, wills his great fortune to his nephew, Robert, in a spirit of revenge. He counts on this sudden wealth to wreck the young man's life.

Robert, his young wife and baby are perfectly happy until old Abner's millions fall at their feet. What follows bears out the cunning old miser's prophecy. The sudden riches lead them straight toward destruction.

In the end, Robert redeems himself by a great act and the influence of parental love urges the young couple to reconciliation.

CAPITOL HILL DESERTED

Harrisburg, Jan. 3: — Legislators flocked from Harrisburg today, following the recess to allow committee appointments, as rapidly as they flocked in over the week-end.

The legislative hills, thronged yesterday for the organization, were deserted today except for caretakers and a few clerks.

Special interest now attaches to the make-up of the standing committees of both houses and the report of the slate committee of the Republicans in each house which "hands out the pie" in the shape of salaried jobs connected with the assembly.

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Democrats Attempt To Silence Lawson Charges of Leak

Sharp Fight Raised On Floor of House When Resolution for a Probe is Reported On Favorably

REP. WOOD MAKES HARSH CHARGES

Washington, Jan. 3—(By United Press)—A sharp fight over the Thomas W. Lawson leak charges was raised on the house floor today when Representative Wood of Indiana declared that a resolution for an investigating committee was reported favorable. Debate on the question was begun immediately. Republicans support Wood and Democrats support Chairman Henry of the house rules committee in opposing the resolution. The action of Chairman Henry of the house rules committee in refusing to give an open hearing of the charges of Lawson in which he declares that $60,000,000 was cleaned up in Wall street in "an indefensible attempt to conceal those in government circles from responsibility" Wood declared today. "Chairman Henry in protecting those higher up is charged with trying to stifle the matter, and hush it up," Wood further declared.

The fight in the house on the proposed congressional investigation of the leaks to Wall street developed its most sensational turn this afternoon when Representative Bennett of New York named Bernard Baruch, as one of those who gave Wall Street its advance tip. Bennett declared "that Bernard Barush, who is a member of the national defense committee, 30 minutes before the note was made public bought 15,000 shares in the rising market." That congress will investigate the Lawson leak charges seemed more certain following Bennett's declaration. Speaker Clarke in a verbal battle declared the ruling for a resolution by Representative Wood demanding an investigation is most important at this time.

LOTS OF THINGS ARE DISCUSSED BY GERARD

Her Long Conference With the German Chancellor Report Is Forwarded to Wilson

ALLIES REPLY WAS ONE TOPIC

By Carl W. Ackerman

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Berlin Jan. 3.—A lengthy report was forwarded to President Wilson today by American Ambassador Gerard following a conference which he held with the Imperial Chancellor von Bethman-Hollweg. When Gerard was asked what the chancellor had said he relied "lots of interesting things." It was authoritatively understood that the American diplomat and the German chancellor among other things talked about the allies' unfavorable reply to the German peace proffer.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Catherine Powell take this means of returning their heartfelt thanks to their many kind friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and death of their late beloved mother. These kind ministrations were much appreciated and will ever be remembered.

SOUTH AMERICAN EXHIBIT

The Sportsman's Supply company, successors to Harder's and Hubler's sporting goods store have quite a curiosity on display in their show window on Third street. It is a specimen of the armadillo, or South American ant eater, sent to J. Willard Chase, one of the members of the firm by Hon. Ben F. Chase, American consul at San Jose, Costa Rica, especially for display purpose. The animal is not a very handsome looking bird but is quite a curiosity in these parts and looks as though it just walked right out of the old Mitchell geography, where we first met one of the species, in the early days of the Leonard Graded school building.

NEW YORK FRUIT GROWERS

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 3.—One of the largest and finest displays of garden and orchard products ever seen in this state is a prominent feature of the sixteenth annual convention of the New York State Fruit Growers' association, which met at Exposition park today for a three-day session. Fruit specialists from half a dozen states and from Canada are in attendance and an unusual degree of interest is manifested in the convention.

ILLINOIS LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

Springfield, Ill, Jan. 3.—The fiftieth general assembly of Illinois met and organized today, with the Republicans in control of both houses. Important legislation contemplated by the party leaders includes the proposed constitutional convention, budget system, elimination of useless bureaus and sinecures, private bank regulation, revenue reforms, and home rule for Chicago in the matter of public utilities.

Biddy's Cold Feet The Cause Of Late Evening Fire Alarm

Kind Hearted Poultry Fancier Has Decided That Modern Heated Pens Are Dangerous

A tender hearted Fourth ward resident decided the weather last night was entirely too cold for his chickens and attempted to supply a little artificial heat by the coal lamp route. The chickens appreciated the humane effort and crowded around the heat to warm their toes, one big footed old biddy with especially cold pedal extremities crowded up too close to the generator of comfort and away went the lamp. The oil ran out and ignited and in a moment those poor chickens had heat to burn and were burning it too.

The fire was located at Seventh and Bigler avenue and the alarm was sent in from Box 41. The firemen were soon enroute to the scene but when it was learned that the trouble was among the "chickens" in the Fourth Ward orders were issued to let Foreman "Forey" Barton of Elk Hose take care of things and he being the most noted "chicken expert" in the department soon had the trouble under control.

The tender hearted poultry keeper don't have near so many chickens to keep warm now.

Question Raised

Berlin, Jan. 3.—The question of whether the United States intends to remain neutral or whether President Wilson is playing for the psychological moment to enter the war is raised by the Cologne Gazette.

RAISING MONEY FOR PURCHASE OF ISLANDS

Lansing and Stone Discuss Method of Raising Price for Danish Islands

DID NOT DISCUSS PEACE MOVE

By Robert J. Bender

Washington, Jan. 3.—(By United Press)—Secretary Lansing went to the capitol today and held a half hour's conference with Senator Stone, chairman foreign relations committee. The Secretary refused to discuss the conference except to say he talked over with Stone the question of raising $25,000,000 for the purchase of the Danish West Indies. Senator Stone voluntarily offered the information that peace was not discussed. Stone and Lansing refused to listen to other questions.

"DRY" CAMPAIGN IN CALIFORNIA

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 3.—Following a meeting of prohibition and temperance leaders from all parts of the state, a campaign to swing California into the "dry" column next year has been formally launched. A committee has been appointed to carry on the preliminary work until a state-wide convention is held in the Spring, when the plan of campaign will be mapped out in detail. The plans already decided upon call for the raising of a $100,000 fund to be expended in the election of prohibitionists to the legislature. A substantial beginning has already been made in the raising of this fund.

MAINE MAY STRENGTHEN "DRY" LAWS

Augusta, Me, Jan. 3.— The Maine legislature, which convened today for its biennial session, will have two important matterse as relates to the enforcement of the prohibition liquor law to deal with. The first is a measure providing for a constitutional amendment to give the governor the power to remove sheriffs who fail to enforce the law, and the other is a bill which would compel judges to give straight jail sentences in liquor cases.

MINNESOTA STOCK BREEDERS

Minneapolis, Minn., aJn. 3.—Minnesota breeders of live stock rounded up in force at the state university farm today for the annual meetings of their several state associations. Among the bodies that will hold their sessions during the remainder of the week are the Minnesota Sheep Breeders' association, Minnesota Swine Breeders' association, Minnesota Hereford Breeders, Minnesota Ayrshire Breeders, Minnesota Red Polled Breeders, and the State Guernsey Breeders.

STARS AND STRIPES FLEW WHEN HIS SHIP WENT DOWN

CAPT. JOHN L. DUFFY

Captain John L. Duffy, commander of the American ship Chemung, which an Austrian submarine sank off the coast of Spain, has just come back to the United States. When the submarine commander told him to haul down the American flag before the vessel was to be sunk Captain Duffy refused. He was taken to the submarine, and he saw the Austrian sink the ship with her flag still on. He was later landed in Spain, from which he made his way to the United States.

LATE TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Amendment Asked

Washington, Jan. 3.—Judge W. L. Chambers, United States commissioner of the board of mediation and conciliation was today requested to add an amendment to the recent railroad bill giving the courts the right to interpret and enforce the award of the board of mediation and conciliation. The request was made by members of the Newlands railroad committee which has charge of the President's railroad program at its hearing today.

Exonerates Lansing

Washington, Jan. 3.—Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee speaking from the senate floor today exonerated Secretary Lansing "from any blame" for leaks in the state department which Stone had declared yesterday as resulting from the present system of civil service. Stone declared he did not know of any leaks since Mr. Lansing took charge of that department of the government.

Arrest Mexican Consul

New York, aJn. 3.—Charged with conspiracy and violation of American laws to circumvent shipment of arms and ammunition into Mexico Juan T. Burns, Mexican consul here today was arrested and held under $10,000 bail. Lewis Gotting and two other employes of an export company who shipped arms and other ammunition into Mexico as hardware are also held.

Sword Only Answer

Berlin, Jan. 3.—Editorial comment and opinion of the general public today are inclined emphatically to the belief that Germany can only answer with the sword to the rejection of the peace proposal by the entente in their reply as outlined by the United Press. One of the leading newspapers called it "an insult and the sword can be the only answer."

Military vs. Civilian

London, Jan. 3—Demands for withdrawal of the British expeditionary forces out of Salonika were voiced in an editorial in Lord Northcliffe's "Daily Mail" today. The editorial stated that the expedition was not planned by military but by civilian officers and furthermore were too weak to assist the Roumanian forces.

Stock Tips

New York, Jan. 3.—(By United Press)—Gains of 1 to 3 points were made by market leaders at the opening of the stock market today. The Westinghouse, Studebaker, Lackawanna Central and Kennett did not respond to general activities. United States steel was up 5-8 and 7-8 to 110 1-2 on sale of 10 shares.

Mex. Com. Reports

Washington, Jan. 3.—The American members of the joint Mexican peace commission today presented to President Wilson their recommendations for closing the sessions. Before going to see President Wilson the Commissioners drafted an answer to General Carranza's rejecting of the withdrawal protocol.

Midvale Dividend

New York, Jan 3.—The Midvale Steel company this afternoon declared an individual quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent.

ALLIES CAPTURED THOUSANDS OF PRISONERS

During Last Twelve Months the Drain On Teuton Forces is Larger Than Expected

582,222 TAKEN IN ONE YEAR

By Henry Wood

With the French Army, Jan 3 During 1916 the allies have captured 582,722 Teuton prisoners. According to figures made public Russian forces have captured 400,000 Austro-German prisoners with the twelve months ending December. French forces have taken 78,500 Germans including 20,000 taken at the Verdun fighting. British forces have taken 46,800 Germans and the Italian forces 52,250 Austrians. Forces under General Sarrail in Macedonia have taken 11,173 Bulgarian, Turkish and German prisoners.

SIXTY CAR LOADS AWAIT ORDER TO ENTRAIN

16th Penna. Infantry All Packed and Ready to Join Loved Ones After Long Vigil

GLAD TO RETURN FROM TEXAS

El Paso, Jan. 3—(By United Press)—Huddled in little groups for the most part 1100 members of the 16th Pennsylvania infantry stood around early today awaiting the order to entrain for home. Sixty coaches and 6 engines were on the camp siding awaiting the word to speed up. General Albert J. Logan and headquarters' staff of the second brigade will return with Col. George Rickards of the 16th and his staff in the first division of section three. The supply company and companies S. and D. will also travel with that section. Companies L. C. E. and H. with machine gun companies and sanitary company will travel in the second section. The third section will comprise companies A. B. K. L. and M.

San Antonia, Jan 3.—The 16th Pennsylvania infantry and second brigade headquarters left ElPaso this afternoon for Pittsburgh.

NORTH CAROLINA SOLONS CONVENE

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 33.— Members of the new North Carolina legislature convened today and organized for the regular biennial session of sixty days. So far there are few new measures of importance under discussion, but the lawmakers are confronted by a mass of routine business that is calculated to keep them busy for the next two months.

WILSON—DURST

On Wednesday evening, January 1, 1917, at half past six, at the parsonage of the Trinity Methodist church, Fred J. Wilson, of Akron, Ohio, and Miss Hazel Ailee Durst, daughter of Mrs. Coralie B. Durst of Clark street, Clearfield, Pa., were united in marriage by Dr. H. R. Bender. Miss Grace Butler and Francis McGoey were the attendants. The couple left on the evening train for Akron, Ohio, where they will make their future home.

FOTHERINGHAM—WOOD

Today at noon, at the parsonage of the Lutheran church on North Third street, by the Rev. C. R. Allenbach, James Fotheringham and Miss Martha Wood, both of Philipsburg, Pa., were united in marriage. The ring ceremony of the Lutheran church was used. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fotheringham left on the afternoon train for Philipsburg where they will reside for the present on Second street.

BRITAIN'S BOY HERO

LIEUT. W. B. FANE

There is one proof that the Britishers are making no to the importance of the war in the fact that they have made W. B. Fane, a boy only [illegible] years old, and just out of school, a lieutenant and [illegible] in command to destroy a German Zeppelin over the Norfolk coast some weeks [illegible]. For more than a year he has been active [illegible] in his attempts to protect the British coast from the approach of airships from the German army.

Congress Quibbling Over Endorsement Of Wilson Note

Senator Hitchcock Declares Very Existence of Neutral Nations Threatened.---Wilson Action Justified

CONGRESS NOT EXPECTED TO ENDORSE

Washington, Jan. 3.—(By United Press)—**The very existance of neutral nations is difficult. Senator Hitchcock declared today in fighting for an endorsement by the senate of President Wilson's note to the belligerents. Hitchcock said "there are two opinions in the senate as to the President's suggestion but I cannot believe there can be any but favorable action regarding the endorsement of it. This is the first step of President Wilson's to bring about peace. President Wilson has not done what Roosevelt did during the Japanese-Russo war. He has not asked them to stop the war. If Roosevelt was justified in his actions during the Japanese-Russo war then President Wilson is more than justified as the very existence of neutrals is becoming difficult."**

Senator Harding of Ohio openly declared to the United Press today that endorsement of the President's note will not be approved by the senate because the note was prepared in secrecy and that even members of the foreign relations committee were not consulted. Republican members took up the fight to relegate the foreign affairs committee but failed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry A. Saltsman and Minnie A. Wilcox both of Karthaus.

Martin Swanson, of East Pittsburg, and Anna Kirchner of Johnstown.

August C. Becker, of Detroit, Mich., and Rose Young of Curwensville.

Joseph Thompson, of Curwensville, and Della May Hennerman, of Big Run.

Elmer E. Swope and Twyla P. Shields, both of DuBois.

Leroy A. Dorman, of Cornwath and Mildred McNeel, of New Millport.

Fred Wilson, of Curwensville and Hazel Durst, of Clearfield.

John Solski, of Adrian and Mary Ramavich, of Stancy.

Carlo Cassi and Clatilda Orlandi, both of Osceola Mills.

Biagio Giubelli and Assurti Titi, both of Curwensville.

William Remik of Winburne and Sarah Berton, of Gearhartville.

William Cossick, of Munson and Kathryn Burton, of Gearhartville.

Samuel McCracken and Bernice Gratton, both of Madera.

Helge A. Lindquist, of Youngstown and Elen Danielson, of Lanse.

Wawne Taylor and Ruth Peters, both of Bigler.

Enloe H. Bell, of Akron, Ohio and Hazel Johnston, of Curry Run.

TO ATTACK HIGH COST OF LIVING

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Measures aiming to reduce the high cost of living are to have a foremost place on the agenda of the New York legislative session which convened today for organization. Early in the session it is expected the Wicks investigation committee will make a report and recommend legislation which will provide market facilities in New York and other large cities with a view of eliminating the middlemen.

Mrs. Roy Boyce who was operated upon for goitre at the Clearfield hospital on Monday is getting along very nicely, which is gratifying news to her host of friends.

SECOND WARD CO. HELD ELECTION LAST NIGHT

After Business Session a Luncheon Was Served and General Good Time Had

POTTER RE-ELECTED FOREMAN

The Second Ward Fire company held their regular annual election of officers at a meeting held in their hose house last evening. Following the business session refreshments were served and a general good time was the result. Following is a list of the officers elected:

Foreman, **J Kay Potter.**

First assistant, **Ralph Gulich.**

Second assistant, **Charles Davis.**

Marshal, **John Davis.**

Steward, **Frank McDivitt.**

Treasurer, **H. C. McCloud.**

Secretary, **Ira Jay.**

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Members of the Children's Aid society desire to thank all those who in any way contributed to the society and the home both at Thanksgiving and at Christmas. The generous gifts received and the kindly interest displayed in every way, was very much appreciated by those who are carrying on this work. J9-2t

National Essay Writing Contest Being Conducted By The Schools

Medal Will be Awarded to Writers of Best Essay Of One Thousand Wornd on Thrift

During the last few years the National Educational association has been conducting an Essay contest on "Thrift." Last year 20,000 school children participated in this contest and eleven contestants representing eight states were awarded prizes. The prize is a medal provided by S. W. Straus, president of the American Society for Thrift.

The plan for conducting the contest for Clearfield county will be as follows: Every school in the county will be eligible to enter the contest. The teacher may have as many essays from her school written as there are pupils who desire to enter. The teacher may have as many essays from her school written as there are pupils who desire to enter. **The teacher shall determine who has written the best essay, which is to be sent to the county superintendent's office. Only one essay from each school is called for because but a single prize in the form of a medal is awarded in each county. This essay is limited to 1000 words.**

All essays must be filed in the County Superintendent's office by May 1st. In sending the essay also give the number of pupils who wrote in order that we may determine the number who were contesting in the county. When the best essay in the county has been determined it will be sent to the office of the secretary of the National Educational association.

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WOMEN TO THE PENITENTIARY

The sentencing of Luella Brandon to the penitentiary yesterday is of unusual interest from the fact that it is seldom indeed that it is necessary to send one of the female sex there from a comunity such as ours. It is very much to be regretted that Clearfield County bear the stigma of having to confine one of the weaker sex behind the cold stone walls of the penitentiary. The incident raised the question of when the last woman was sent to the penitentiary from this county. The trial will be remembered by only a few as it attracted very little attention and was tried before Judge Patton of Armstrong County who held court here at that time. At this court Mrs. Julia Evans of Beccaria was found guilty of voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of two and one half years.

WHAT HAVE WE SAID?

One of our good Republican friends takes us to task for our utterance about Senator Penrose. He says we ought to come out and congratulate him on his victory over the Brumbaugh forces at Harrisburg on the speakership contest and recognize in him the leader of the Republican Party in Pennsylvania.

We agree with our good friend in that Mr. Penrose should be congratulated upon his victory. We have never discounted the power of Penrose in state and national politics. He is without doubt one of the most powerful political men that Pennsylvania ever produced. At times public sentiment seems to roll up in huge waves against him but he always emerges from the fray with banners flying and his candidates elected. His overwhelming election to the United States Senate by popular vote was proof conclusive that the Republican party of Pennsylvania look to him as their leader. The selection of Richard Baldwin as speaker of the house proves that his influence in the legislative halls at Harrisburg is predominent and that the recent elections held all over the state were according to his desires. In the face of all this it would be foolish to attempt to belittle the power and influence of the man and it has been proven futile to attempt to wrest that power from him.

We would call to the attention of our friend the fact that our criticisms have not been literal but have been to the point in all cases. We have not said anything against Mr. Penrose personally as many newspapers have done. We havemade no attempt to defame his character and take no stock in the many allegations that have been made from time to time. We would no sooner believe them than the story that Teddy was a boozer and that Prohibition brings disaster.

We do, however, reserve the right to criticize the official acts of Mr. Penrose, even though he is the political leader of the state. We have no criticism to offer on the man who votes no on a bill that we think should have carried. We have no criticism to make on a man who votes yes on a bill that we think is a bad measure but the legislator who willfully absents himself from his post of duty when an important vote is being taken is giving no service to his state. He should be there working one way or the other.

A political party is different from a military organization. Members of any party have a perfect right, and we believe it to be a duty to criticize, their leaders. Nothing so resembles a mushroom in its decadent qualities as a political party. Honest criticism is the morning dew that keeps the party from shriveling up and dying of dry rot. We do not criticize for the fun of criticizing. We do not find fault for the trouble we may stir up. When we criticize we do so direct, and because we believe we are rendering a service to the party in pointing out what we believe to be its weakness.

MARITAL DISASTERS

Our recital yesterday of the proportionate numbers of marriages and divorce actions during the year in this county has caused no little comment. The figures are indeed staggering. It is hard to believe that every week in the last year a home was broken up and in many cases children set adrift on the highways of life's stoney road to make a way for themselves with the handicap of a divorced father or mother and some stigma of shame attached to them for life. Study of the cause bringing these conditions about is the proper place to begin the regeneration of the race. Five years of time in Clearfield county without an action in divorce court would result in a wonderful social, moral and economic change in the lives of the residents of the county.

MY TREASURE CHEST AND ITS CONTENTS

Not filled with bags of gold, or precious stones, or valuable documents is my treasure chest. Nor is it an old pine box buried under a great tree in some forest. My treasure chest is a wicker window box which stands under my writing table in the dressing-room at the Vitagraph studio. Or, I should say that it is just one of my treasure chests. The other is an old, worn, leather trunk which stands in the trunk room at "The Wood Violet," my little country home on Long Island.

Both of these chests—the wicker one and the old trunk which held Mother o'Mine's trousseau—contain the letters which you all write me.

When the letters come to me every morning at the studio they are opened — sorted — answered — and then placed away in the wicker chest. After a certain time, however, the letter is taken out to my dear little home in my machine, after which it is placed in the old leather trunk.

There is no greater help in the screen star's life than these letters which you write, dear friends. All of us love a bit of praise and appreciation now and then, and these messages of yours serve to let us know whether or not our pictures are favored by you.

You see the legitimate ster is inspired by the great sea of faces before her, the orchestra, the applause and the glimmering footlights. The movie star, however, works without an audience, before the cold camera that is all-seeing and critical. Every blemish is magnified by the motion picture, and the star never knows until the letters come in how her efforts are received.

Although I have never worked behind the footlights and do not miss the applause of pleased audience, the letters mean much to me. Some of the happiest moments of my life come when I go over the epistles which you so thoughtfully write.

When I am old and gray—after you have forgotten all about the dear letters which you now write — I expect to spend many, many happy hours reading over the wonderful tributes which you have paid my work from time to time. Thank you for your letters a thousand times, dear friends. May I be worthy of your love always.

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BECOMES ARMY OFFICER'S BRIDE

Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 3.—A wedding of interest in military circles here today was that of Miss Cora Mebane, daughter of Mrs. W. N. Mebane, of New Brighton, Staten Island and Lieutenant John E. Russell, U. S. A., son of Brig. Gen. William Russell, former chief of engineers of the United States army.

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CATTS TAKES OFFICES IN FLORIDA

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 2.—Rev. Sidney J. Catts, who was elected on an independent ticket after one of the most spirited campaigns in the history of the state, was formally installed in the office of chief executive of Florida today. The inauguration was attended by the pageantry and pomp which are usually made a part of the ceremonies on the occasion of the administration of the oath of office to the governor of the commonwealth. The crowd was one of the largest ever seen here on inauguration day.

Roundabout Way.

"I see where an aviator contrived to have the last word with his wife."

"How on earth did he do it?"

"He didn't exactly do it on earth."

"Why?"

"He was 1,000 feet in the air and dropped her a message."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Experienced Husband.

"She threatens to sue for divorce."

"What's he going to do?"

"Nothing. When their quarrels get to that point he always keeps still. He's learned from experience that the next wave will be a flood of tears."—Detroit Free Press.

Two Sorrows.

The sorrow of the woman who cries out her grief on the kitchen towel somehow seems more sincere than that of the woman who puts on a pretty gown, arranges the sofa cushions and turns the lights low before she begins. —Exchange.

Business.

Lawyer—If I bring a suit against your husband I'll be able to get about a third of his income as alimony for you. Prospective Divorcee—Gosh! I can do better than that myself. For years I've been getting nearly all his salary out of him.—Lamb.

Religious.

"Is he a religious man?"

"I guess so."

"Does he go to church?"

"I don't think he ever goes himself, but he never kicks on his wife going when she wants to."—Detroit Free Press.

Advice is not disliked because it is advice, but because so few people know how to give it.—Leigh Hunt.

WANTED—Coal miners. Will pay $1.25 per ton. Call H. & C. phone 453 z J3-4t.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush your Kidneys Occasionally if you Eat Meat Regularly

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipa- disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Primary Election Tuesday, Sept. 18, 1917

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce the name of Wesley P. Norris of Clearfield borough as a candidate for the office of High sheriff of Clearfield county, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. Address Clearfield, Pa. 1-1-16

Opening the Stubborn Knife.

Does your pocketknife blade refuse to open? Here is a certain and easy method of bringing it to terms.

Place one corner of your handkerchief over the back of the stubborn blade and wind the rest of it tightly around the knife. Hold the opposite corner between the first and second fingers of your right hand (if you are right handed) and throw the knife from you with some speed. Go over and pick it up and you will find the blade opened. I have yet to find a knife so rusty that it will not yield to this treatment, and—it does save the thumb nails. —Outing.

Chip of the Old Block.

"There was a millionaire who brags about his son to everybody who will listen."

"Evidently the young fellow is not like the average heir to great wealth."

"No, indeed. The old gentleman was financed in the stock market last week, and when he discovered that his own son had turned the trick he was the proudest man in the United States."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Think of This.

"Found an honest man yet?" we asked Diogenes.

"Has become a phenomenon today that interested me almost as much. A lady giving no housekeeping was making around trying to find a situation for a good cook."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

How They Love Each Other.

Agnes (newlywed)—Oh, dear, I feel today as if I were thirty years old! Marie—Why, what have you been doing to rejuvenate yourself?—Boston Transcript.

A Fine Distinction.

"Is her husband a medical man?"

"No, I think he's just a specialist or something."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Be just and fear not. Let all the ends thou aimest at be thy country's, thy God's and truth's.—Shakespeare.

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Good Advice.

Mr. Woggs—Somebody wrote to the editor to ask how to eat corn off the cob. Mrs. Woggs—What does the editor say? Mr. Woggs—He says, silently.—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

A Friendly Tip.

Sapleigh—Would you—er—advise me to—er—marry a beautiful girl or a sensible girl? Hammersley—I'm afraid you'll never be able to marry either, old man. Sapleigh—Why not? Hammersley—Well, a beautiful girl could do better and a sensible girl would know better.—Exchange.

And No Wonder.

"So the Jilloways quarreled?"

"Last week."

"What was the trouble?"

"Mr. Jilloway's first wife writes him a long birthday letter every year, and I think it finally got on the nerves of Mrs. Jilloway's nerves."—Savannah Press.

APPLICATIONS WANTED

Applications for the position of Health Officer and Secretary of the Board of Health of Clearfield Borough will be received by the Board until Friday evening, January 12th. All applications must be in writing. The applicant should be physically sound and should have had some experience in clerical work.

Address P. O. Box 294, Clearfield, Pa. Jan. 1-3-5-8-10ch.

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Mine posts and ties of various sizes. Shipments may commence at once and continue over a period of three or four months Write stating quantity you can furnish, when you could start shipping and quote best prices F. O. B. your loading point (naming the same). Quick cash settlements. Address Box 67, Uniontown, Pa.

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Daddy's Bedtime Story—

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DADDY had put down a fat red book when the children came in to ask for their bedtime story.

"What were you reading, daddy, dear?" questioned Evelyn, trying to get a peep into the book.

"I was reading a story book," replied daddy.

"Then maybe you will tell us a story out of it," suggested Jack.

"When you are old enough you will much better enjoy reading these stories yourself. They were written by one of the most delightful story tellers who ever lived, and, unlike most tales written for grownups, they can be enjoyed by boys and girls. I was only twoere years old when I read the first of his stories. Perhaps because this writer was always a boy at heart his stories are so readily understood by little people.

"Little Charles—for his father was also Charles—was very fond of strolling about and looking at queer old churches and quaint buildings. The charming little boy in the blue suit with its wide white collar had a friendly way and would often stop and chat with the people he met.

"One day—it was when he was about nine years old—he stopped in front of a long, rambling house near the city of Rochester, England, where he then lived. His father had him by the hand and, pointing at the pretty house, little Charles said:

"'There is the house where I would like to live.' It was a handsome place known as Gadshill and quite beyond the means of the Dickens family.

"'Very well, my son,' said the boy's father. 'Just keep that in mind and work hard. There is no reason why some day you may not live there.'

"The boy never forgot that. When he was sixteen his family needed his earnings, so he was taken from school and put into a lawyer's office, and from there he went to a newspaper. His father was also a newspaper reporter.

"By and by young Charles Dickens began to write stories, and they were such fine stories that soon every one was reading them. There were his stories about Mr. Pickwick and Sam Weller, about poor little Oliver Twist, the workhouse boy; about David Copperfield and about dear little Nell. He wrote many others, but these, I think, are the stories that many people love best.

"His books brought him so much money that he was able to buy the house of his dreams, beautiful Gadshill. He went there to live with his wife and children, and he was fond of telling his friends how as a little boy he used to stand out at the gate staring longingly into the gardens where now his children played."

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomain-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and Women who can't get feeling right must begin to ake inside baths. Before each breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the twenty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarterpound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make any one an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowels do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone-phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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"MAD MONK" PLAYS THE CZAR

SERGIUS M. TRUFANOFF

The "Mad Monk," or Sergius Michaelow Trufanoff, whose articles on Russia were bought by a New York magazine two months ago, but were suppressed, says the imperial family of Russia is in absolute control of the priest Rasputin. He says Rasputin brought on the war, and is now, for personal reasons, trying to force the czar into a separate peace with Germany. Rasputin, he says, has full control over the czarina, and through her controls the family.

Statement of the
CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK
Clearfield, Penna.
December 27, 1916
Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of the Currency

RESOURCES

Investments	$ 874,401.11
Overdrafts	10,217.69
United States bonds,	201,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	270,575.00
Bank building & fixtures,	49,642.79
Due from banks	202,459.52
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Cash on hand	72,803.24
	$1,682,099.35

LIABILITIES

Capital stock,	200,000.00
Surplus fund,	200,000.00
Undivided profits	42,131.22
Dividends unpaid	35.00
Circulation	197,900.00
Due to banks	1,472.42
Due depositors	1,040,560.71
	$1,682,099.35

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REPORT OF COMMITEE ON TEACHERS' READING COURSE

At a recent meeting of the committee on Teachers' Reading course the following books were adopted for the teachers of Clearfield county: Lincoln's "Everyday Pedagogy" published by Ginn & Co. Schmucker's "The Study of Nature" published by Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia and Colegrove's "The Teacher and the School" published by Charles Scribner's sons, New York.

The first two books on the list will be used as a basis for examination for provisional certificates.

Committee:
J. E. RADEBACH,
L. J. GILLILAND
O. C. WRIGLEY

News of OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

There was a dance in the Moose Hall last night.

We are glad to state that Mrs. J. H. Cooke is slowly convalescing.

J. A. Kujawa, the up-to-date tailor was a DuBois visitor yesterday.

The old year passed out without much excitement in this place.

Local teachers' institute will be held in this county beginning January 27.

Teachers and scholars resumed their duties in the public schools yesterday.

Sunday night's special New Year's eve service ta the Methodist church was well attended.

Miss Elizabeth Hawkins, daughter of Rev. I. P. Hawkins, will leave on Thursday for Colorado.

A slight wreck on the B., R. & P. railroad yesterday near the brick yard caused by a loaded coal car getting tired of staying on the track, called the wreck train from DuBois.

The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held tonight at 7:45. The Kings Daughters will serve refreshments and an enjoyable time is promised all in attendance.

Mrs. Harry Deter of South Side, received a telegram yesterday telling of the serious illness of his mother at Bradford, Pa. Mrs. Deter left on the noon B., R. & P. train for that place.

Emelio Leyver, Pike township's dairyman who was operated upon in the Clearfield hospital the latter part of December, is still a patient at the hospital. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Every man, woman and child in Curwensville should hear the Cambria county orator, the Rev. Charles Swift, at the Methodist church Thursday evening under the auspices of the Clearfield County Dry Federation.

James Humphreys who had been in Pittsburgh for several weeks and spent the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Humphreys, near Curwensville, left Tuesday morning for Philipsburg, where he has accepted a position with an electrical company.

At an enthusiastic meeting of Curwensville Republicans held last night in their room in the Patton block, the following organization was effected:

President, Fred McKenzie.
Secretary, William Leech.
Treasurer, C. S. Russell.

Room committee, Harvey Hawk, Charles Coolroth and Ollie Smith. The committee wil immediately complete the furnishing of one room, provide keys for the members and every member is invited to drop in at any time and help himself to the comforts and benefits of this club.

Rev. E. D. Parkhill and wife, Mrs. T. J. Robison, Paul Robison, Mrs. Margaret Frankhouser, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Woodward, Mrs. Belle Ames and sons, Don and Russell, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Frankhauser and sons, Chester, Edgar, Orsel and Miss Annie Frankhouser were among the invited guests at the salmon dinner and lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Henchberger of Thompson street on New Year's day. Not only salmon was enjoyed by all, but roast chicken and all the viands that go to make up a good dinner. The large salmon weighed 10 pounds, head off, and was shipped from Seattle, Washington, where Mr. and Mrs. Henchberger visitad some time ago and at present their daughters, Mrs. David Irvin and Miss Nellie Patterson are residing.

Cyrus G. Hall, only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hall, died in a hospital at Bradford Sunday night at 11:45, where he was operated upon and had been a patient for the past ten days, suffering from an ulcerated stomach which terminated in peritonitis.

Deceased was born in Pike township and was 23 years of age. "Si" as he was familiarly known, for his pleasant maner and sunny disposition, endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact, having been employed by the electrical company in this place several years ago. Deceased is survived by his parents and four sisters, Mrs. D. H. Bloom, Curwensville; Mrs. L. S. LeGore, Mrs. E. H. Walters and Miss Grace Hall, of Philadelphia. His mother and sister, Mrs. Bloom, were in Bradford during his illness, the former being at his bedside when he passed away. The parents have the sympathy of a host of friends in this place. During his illness, which was painful, the young man acknowledged Christ as his personal Savior and made his peace with God.

Funeral services wil be held at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. H. Bloom at Walnut street, Thursday afternoon, January 4, Rev. J. Max Lantz of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating. Interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

Like New Velvet

That's what one lady said after I had cleaned a velvet suit for her. The "pile" stood up and had that "shimmery" look of new matrial. She was pleased. You will be, too, if you will bring in anything velvet to be cleaned.

A. G. BARTHOLOMEW
Market St., Clearfield, Pa.

OSCEOLA MILLS

Francis Henderson left on Monday for Youngstown, Ohio, where he has secured a lucrative position in a large manufactory. We will miss "Hank."

Prof. Elna Nelsen, of Honesdale, Pa., is a guest at the home of Mrs. A. S. Brown.

James Dugen and wife, of Philadelphia, are visiting friends here this week.

Miriam Brown, who spent the holidays with her parents here, returned to Harrisburg on Monday.

Miss Mary Moore left on Tuesday morning to resume her studies at the University of Philadelphia.

J. E. Kolbenschlag, Mr. J. Frank Brown and wife, Herman S. Brown and wife, and Fred D. Brown were among these who went to Philadelphia to view the Mummers parade on Monday.

At a meeting of the officers and teachers of the Presbyterian Sabbath School held on Sunday the following officers were elected: Supt. W. P. Whitney, Asst. Supt. Prof. J. T. Raisbach, Sec'y. Stella McFeeters; Treas. Harriett Woodcock; Asst. Sec. William Gerhart Jr.; Organist, Ethel Gess.

The memebership contest of the Y. M. C. A. closed on Monday evening with considerable activity on both sides. The "Reds" wining with a majority of two.

John Gearhart and family, of Altoona, spent sunday with his parents here.

MORGAN RUN

J. J. Bush was at Blue Ball Saturday on business.

S. E. Smeal has been on the sick list the past few days.

Len Bush is on the sick list the last few days.

Davy Jones and wife and little daughter Esther spent Sunday with Charles Bush.

Orchelle Smeal and his sister Ora, of Miss Rock William's school, Blue Ball, M. E. church, were pleasant visitors Sunday evening.

Mrs. Leo Smeal and Mrs. Davy Jones and daughter Esther called on Mrs. Thomas Smeal Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth and Master Marion Smeal, Sr., and Mrs. F. D. Bush spent Sunday evening.

John Jones was taking a vacation and expected to return to his work

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Statement of the
COUNTY NATIONAL BANK
—OF—
CLEARFIELD, PA.
At the close of business Dec. 27, 1916
(Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of Currency)

RESOURCES

Investments, less demand loans	$3,316,459.15
Overdrafts	4,755.14
United States bonds	511,120.00
Banking house, furniture & Fixtures	48,330.39
Due from United States Treasurer,	25,000.00
Cash Resources	
Cash on hand, $244,217.32	
Due from banks 595,740.23	
Demand loans on collateral 213,429.15	1,053,387.40
Total	$4,959,062.08

LIABILITIES

Capital stock $500,000.00	
Surplus and net profits 832,376.39	1,332,376.39
Circulation	492,000.00
Due to banks	8,973.88
Dividends unpaid	8.00
Deposits	3,125,703.21
Total	$4,959,062.08

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Fred J. Lotz, H. F. Bader, H. L. Leitzinger, John Kephart, James A. McPherson, W. C. Miles, James P. O'Laughlin, H. B. Powell and A. K. Wright, all of Clearfield; A. L. Forcey, of Bigler; W. B. Potter, of Karthaus.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the Clearfield County Institute held in Clearfield, December 18th to 22nd 1916.

Receipts

Received from county treasurer	$ 200.00
Received contributions from teachers	877.95
Received from proceeds of evening lectures	226.79
Received from proceeds of entertainments	166.00
Received from proceeds from other sources	43.60
	$1514.34

Expenditures

Paid instructors	$ 580.00
Paid lecturers	200.00
Paid evening entertainments other than lectures	225.00
Paid for use of hall	240.00
Paid for printing and advertising	104.70
Paid for other expenses	155.50
	$1505.20
Balance	$ 9.14

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It Depends on the Dog.

Two Broadway business men met before a bar. They were good friends.

"I'm worried a little," said one. "My chauffeur ran over a dog today and killed it."

"Oh, I wouldn't worry about a little thing like that," said the other. "The dog probably got in the way. These dogs are a pest."

"But it was your dog."

"What!" came from the second. "My dog? I'm sorry, but that will cost you $100. That chauffeur of yours is too careless. I insist on the hundred, understand."—New York Telegraph.

So 'Twould.

"How would you like to take a trip in a submarine?"

"I shouldn't care for that," replied the society lad.

"Why not?"

"Oh, dear! Must I really tell you? An ocean voyage would be frightfully boring, you know, if there were no place to dawn on." Birmingham Age-Herald.

Rack Rents.

A "rack rent" is a rent that is equivalent to the full net annual value of the real property out of which it issues, or approximates to it. In statutes in England to buy rack rent is defined as "not less than two thirds of the full net annual value of the lands out of which it arises."

Name of the Collie.

The collie is said to be descended from a cross between the sheep dog and the greyhound. It is a native of Scotland, where it is still used to herd sheep. The breed is said to have been named after the Scottish town of Lorn.

Ancient Candles.

Candles made of the fat of animals were common in the middle ages. They were made by dipping a wick of twisted cotton or rushes into the melted fat. Tallow candles were used in England as late as the 18th century.

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COLORADO MINING ASSOCIATION

Denver, Colo., Jan. 3.—The Colorado Metal Mining association, at its fourth annual meeting begun here today, will discuss a number of proposed changes in the Federal mining laws, the repeal of the present law for the taxation of producing mines, proposed changes in the compensation insurance laws, and the government conservation policies, with special reference to the continued withdrawal from development of public lands.

BEDBUG AND COCKROACH CREEP INTO THE NEWS

Indianapolis, Jan. 2.—(By United Press) It becomes the duty of purveyors of news to announce that State Etomologist Frank N. Wallace has sounded the deathknoll of all Hoosier bedbugs and cockroaches. He did it in an official bulletin declaring that 5 parts flour and one part of plaster of paris, with a dish of water nearby, will make stones in the cockroaches' tummies and end them, while you may gas the bedbugs with gasoline.

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OUR NEIGHBORS

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Frank Bush spent C. Smeal.

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Bush and Albert Powell was ilipsburg Monday as Len was ng his tooth pulled.

GLEN HOPE.

Frank Bell was an Ansonville caller Sunday afternoon.

James Glasgow Jr., has returned to Pittsburgh after spending Christmas with friends in town.

Miss Hettie Patchin returned Friday to her duties as nurse in Clearfield hospital, after a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patchin.

Miss Vera Bloom, of Irvona, was guest of her niece, Miss Gertrude Patton this week.

Russell and Herbert Wright of Irvona, were Glen Hope visitors last week.

Miles Bloom of Ansonville, was a business caller in town Monday.

Miss Verde Rex returned to Coalport Saturday afternoon after a week spent in Glen Hope.

Bennie Bloom was a caller in town Saturday evening.

William Groom was an Irvona visitor Monday.

Miss Margaret Baer who is employed in Johnstown, spent Christmas with her grandmother, Mrs. Susan Kengy.

J. W. Bratton returned to Virginia after a few days spent in our town.

Rilla Patchin returneded to Philadelphia last week after a few days visit with her parents here.

F. J. Caldwell, of Greensburg, spent art of last week in Glen Hope.

Russell Bell was an Irvona caller on Sunday.

Darrel Davis was in Irvona Monday.

Cecil and Earl Davis returned to Lock Haven after a few weeks visit with parents in this place.

Miss Edna Cooper and Ruth Groom were Clearfield visitors Friday.

Protracted meetings are being held in the M. E. church here by Pastor, Rev. John LePage.

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SOCIALISTS EXPEL HIM FROM THEIR PARTY

Bouck White, pastor of the Church of the Social Revolution, one of the leading exponents of Socialism in the United States, has been expelled by the party in New York City. He dared to vote in the last election for other men than Socialists, and the party managers will not tolerate that. It has been said others as prominient in the movement as White will also be cast out.

GRAMPIAN

Grampian dead! No indeed. She was to the front Sunday night with a real, old time watch meeting.

The W. C. T. U. opened the meeting with an interesting service and presented an entertaining program. The first number was a recitation by Miss Edith Anderson and Miss Jonnson.

Reading by Mrs. D. J. Bonsall and Mrs. McKenrick.

Solo by the Woods sisters, followed by a song by Bonsall.

The quartette then rendered a pretty selection, which was followed by instructive talks by Dr. Miller and Rev. Flegal.

Mrs. W. I. Wall read the yearly report of the union which showed five new members and the organization to be in an especially flourishing condition.

This was followed by the election of officers for the Sunday School for the coming year.

The real watch meeting service was then opened with a song and prayer by Rev. Flegal. Rev. Flegal followed with a powerful sermon after which, with the altar filled with members in silent prayer the old year was rung out and the new one in with Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Woodel at the bell rope.

Grampian will surely be a cool place next summer judging from the number of ice houses being filled now.

Don Woodel returned to Akron, Ohio, where he is employed in the rubber works.

The ladies social club met at Mrs. Woodel's on Thursday evening.

The remonstrances against license are being circulated now and are being quite generally signed. Don't shirk your duty, but sign up and help save the boys.

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Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Stayman Reed left last evening for Princeton after spending the holidays with his father.

Maynard Reed, William Leitzinger and Cortez Bell and guests left for Ann Arbor, Mich. where they attend the University of Michigan.

Fredrick Wright returned this morning to State College after spending the Christmas vtcation at home,

W. B. Potter of Karthaus transacted business in town yesterday.

Wliilam Patterson returned last evening form a visit with his fiancee Miss Alice Moconochie in Carlisle.

Misses Alta Boyce and Kathryn Roessner left today for Philadelphit where they are taking a course in Domestic Science at Drexel Institute.

Miss Josephine Tonner and Bruce Wallace attended the dance in Du Bois last evening.

K. R. Irwin of Toledo, Ohio who was called here on account of the illness of his mother Mrs. Fred B. Irwin left last evening for New York.

Hazzard Chase returned to Bucknell University todty after spending Vacation with his parents.

Tom Wallace returned to Easton today where he attends Lafayette College.

Mr. Sawyer of Ansonville was in town on business yesterday.

John Chase left today for the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. Mich. after spending the holidays with his parents.

Miss Margaret Kyper has returned to Patton to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools.

Miss Catherine Henderson and George Batcheler of Glen Richey spent last evening in Clearfield.

Clair Mignot returned to his home in Frenchville yesterday after spending New Years in town.

J. B. Beauseigneur left last evening for Pittsburgh and Butler to visit relatives.

Mrs. Bish Lansberry of Bradford Township was shopping in Clearfield yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Shivery of Woodland, were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Hugh Stewart has returned to the University of Pennsylvania after spending the holidays with his parents.

Mr. Shaddock of Karthaus, attended to business in town today.

Miss Florence Graham entertained her Sunday school class at a fancy work party last evening at her home on West Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mosebarger and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sheehe left yesterday for St. Petersburg, Florida where they will spend the winter.

John Adams returned to Blossburg, Pa., yesterday after spending the holidays with his mother Mrs. Adams of Margaretta street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kennard were called to Altoona last evening on account of the serious illness of Mr. Kennard's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kennard, who is ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. Tate.

Mrs. Mary Whitmarsh returned yesterday from a visit with her daughter Mrs. Van Campen at Olean, N. Y.

Mrs. F. W. Bailey and Mrs. Cleaver of Curwensville were shopping in town yesterday.

John McKeage of Mahaffey spent yesterday in Clearfield.

J. S. Briel of Karthaus was in town on business today.

Matthew Graham of Woodland transacted business in town today.

Guy Lawhead and William Apgar have returned to Allegheny College at Meadville after spending the holidays with their parents.

W. McLaughlin has returned from spending New Years at Pittsburgh.

REMEMBERED 72ND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Captain and Mrs. Isaiah Copelin on New Years day celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary. The event was marked by a big dinner, at which the members of the family were present, given by their daughter, Mrs. Andrew Nelson, and held at the home of the latter and her husband on Fourth street. It was a happy occasion, and enjoyed by none more than the Captain and his good wife.—Philipsburg Journal.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF JOHN A. STOCK
Desertion-Probation Officer

From Jan. 1, 1916 to Dec. 31, 1916

The following report is respectfully submitted:

Number of cases settled by self without warrant being issued	68
Number of cases settled by self after warrant was issued	31
Number of cases reaching court	48
Number of cases pending	5
Assisted in making legal adoptions	5
Total number of cases handled by Desertion-Probation officer	157

The following disposition was made of the 48 cases reaching court:

Sentenced to the penitentiary	6
Received money sentences	30
Number of cases dismissed	2
Number of A. & B. cases	10
Total	48

Of the 30 cases receiving money sentences, 14 were heard by the court, leaving 115 in which settlement was effected between the parties and officers, and such settlement submitted to the Honorable Judge for his approval and decree.

Of the 10 A. & B. cases, two of the defendants were sent to the asylum.

Regarding the 31 cases settled after warrant was issued, 8 were F. & B. cases and the balance quarrels of various kinds, mostly A. & B. between husband and wife.

The 68 cases settled without warrant were domestic troubles of all descriptions such as A. & B., wastefulness, drunkenness, birth-control, etc.

Financial Statement

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1916	$ 232.17
Amount collected during year	3178.77
Total amount to be disbursed	3410.94
Amount disbursed during year	3194.28
Balance on hand	$ 216.66
Total number of open accounts on which collections are being made	53
Expenses of officer for carfare, livery hire, hotel bills, interpreters and postage, in line of duty	$263.09

Comparative Statement

No. of cases	1914	1915	1916	Increase over 1915
handled	95	119	157	38
Open accounts	15	21	53	32

Amount disbursed	
1914	$ 719.93
1915	1670.64
1916	3194.28
Increase over 1915	1523.64

JOHN A. STOCK
Desertion Probation Officer.

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FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT LOCK HAVEN

Wiliam H. Peters, a former well-known resident of this section, died at his home in Lock Haven, on Monday morning January 1, 1917, at 9 o"clock, of Bright's disease, after an illnes of about six weeks duration.

The deceased was a native of Decatur township, being a member of one of the best known pioneer families of that section. He resided in Clearfield for many years, being employed as superintendent of mines by the Clearfield Fire Brick company. About ten years ago he removed to Curwensvile and later went to Lock Haven to take charge of the clay mines of Lock Haven Fire Brick company.

He was married to Miss Bressler, who survives him with the following children: Jonas, of Lock Haven; Blanche, of York; Florence, of Lock Haven, and Maggie of Spangler. He is also survived by two brothers and one sister, Frank of West Decatur; Clarence, of Pittsburgs, and Mrs. Ella Rhule, of Philipsburg.

The funeral was held at Philipsburg at 11 o'clock this morning with interment in Philipsburg cemetery.

BIRTHDAY OF ITALY"S QUEEN

Rome, Jan. 3—Queen Helena entered upon her 45 year today and was the recipient of presents and birthday greetings from the rulers of the allied countries and from associations and individuals throughout the kingdom of Italy. Since Italy entered the war her Majesty, in common with other women of the royal family, has devoted much of her time to relief work, and seldom a week passes that the wounded soldiers and sailors in the Roman hospitals are not cheered by a personal visit from the Queen.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Catherine Powell died Friday morning, December 29, at 1:30, at her home on William street, aged 66 years, 10 month and 16 days.

Though she had been suffering for several months with a complication of diseases the cause of her death was due to a paralytic stroke.

She was a daughter of David and Marie McDowell and was born in Graham township, February 8, 1850, where she spent most of her life. With her family she came to Clearfield, April 1901, and resided there until her death.

Her husband preceded her to the better world November 19, 1900.

She had a host of friends who will sadly miss her, but she will be missed most in the home. She was a faithful member of the United Brethren church and was a beautiful Christian woman and lived a life of devotion

She is survived by the following children: J. Frank Powell, of Jersey Shore, Pa.; Mrs. Curtis Jury, LeContes Mills; Andrew C. Powell, Mrs. H. L. Shaw, Mrs. A. C. Jury all of Clearfield, and Miss Jennie and little grandson, Lynton, at home. Also one sister, Mrs. Jacob Rhinehart, of Bigler.

The funeral took place on Snuday, Rev. B. J. Hummel of Clearfield U. B. church conducting the services. Interment in Fairview cemetery.

There is no love like Mother's love
So tender, yearning, true;
No music sounds like Mother's voice,
There are no skies so blue
As mother's' eyes, when resting on
Her sorry, wayward child,
No refuge like a Mother's arms—
So strong, so fond, so mild.
If she has left us on this earth,
We'll pray to her—above;
She'll help us, through Eternity—
No love's like Mother's love.

Margaret Thompson of Triangle-Kay at Home, Very Much at Home.

ON THE SCREEN

"AT PINEY RIDGE"

Story of the Thrilling Selig play to be Shown at the Opera House Tomorrow Morning

Beautiful Cindy Lane, only daughter of grim old Zeb. Lane, a mountaineer loves Mark Brierson, not wisely, but too well. Mark after plucking the mountain flower, grinds the blossom under his heel. Brierson uses the Deering bank funds for cotton speculation and losses. He resolves to marry Deering's daughter to recoup his fortunes. Cindy Lane becomes a mother, and her grim old father vows to kill the man responsible. Through the machinations of Brierson, suspicions is centered on Jack Rose, a wealthy young farmer. How Rose lears his name, how he wins Deering's daughter, and how Brierson meets his just fate, are only incidents in a gripping drama of plot and counter plot of white hot hate and sincere love.

"SUDDEN RICHES"

Special at the Globe Theatre Today

The story of "Sudden Riches" deals with a legacy of hate. Old Abner Crewe, a miser and recluse, wills his great fortune to his nephew, Robert, in a spirit of revenge. He counts on this sudden wealth to wreck the young man's life.

Robert, his young wife and baby are perfectly happy until old Abner's millions fall at their feet. What follows bears out the cunning old miser's prophecy. The sudden riches lead them straight toward destruction.

In the end, Robert redeems himself by a great act and the influence of parental love urges the young couple to reconciliation.

CAPITOL HILL DESERTED

Harrisburg, Jan. 3: — Legislators flocked from Harrisburg today, following the recess to allow committee appointments, as rapidly as they flocked in over the week-end.

The legislative hills, thronged yesterday for the organization, were deserted today except for caretakers and a few clerks.

Special interest now attaches to the make-up of the standing committees of both houses and the report of the slate committee of the Republicans in each house which "hands out the pie" in the shape of salaried jobs connected with the assembly.

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